





## MACDONALD PICKS SLATE FOR BRITISH CABINET

Leader of Labor Party Decides to Accept Impending Summons of King to Form Ministry and Confer With Colleagues on Appointments.

### MONARCH RESISTS TORY PRESSURE

Clines to Be Leader in House of Commons—Liberals, While Unwilling to Enter a Coalition, Will Let Labor Have Chance.

By the Associated Press.  
LONDON, Dec. 11.—Prime Minister Baldwin and his cabinet will meet the Parliament when it reconvenes Jan. 8, and not resign in the interim, it was officially stated this morning.

The text of the communication containing the cabinet's decision reads: "After careful consideration of the constitutional precedents and their bearing upon the situation which has arisen as a result of the general elections the cabinet decided unanimously this morning that it was their constitutional duty to meet the Parliament at the earliest possible moment. The Parliament, therefore, will reconvene on Jan. 8."

By JOHN L. BALDERSTON,  
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LONDON, Dec. 11.—King George has thrown the weight of his crown into the political scales in favor of Labor. The appointment of J. Ramsay MacDonald, leader of the Labor party, as Premier, seems almost certain, though his tenure may be brief, as he will lead a minority party existing on sufferance of Liberals and Tories.

The real crux of the situation, is not touched upon in the British press, due to a convention that the King's name must never be mentioned in British politics. That convention makes news of this crisis as published here no more lucid than Hamlet minus the Prince of Denmark, for King George is the center in the present drama.

King George's position is that his constitutional authority tends toward the monarch sending forth the leader of the next strongest party when a government is defeated at the polls. He contends that, although a case can be made out for other procedure, it would appear to be discrimination against Labor.

Although the Times and Daily Telegraph, most important of the Tory organs who know of the King's attitude are in revolt against him, of course without mentioning his name, King George is standing pat and the last word is his.

Macdonald has definitely decided I can state to form a government. All Labor leaders were conferring yesterday on the make-up of the cabinet.

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## NEGOTIATIONS FOR RHINE STATE BEGIN AT COLOGNE

It Will Be Autonomous, but Remain Within the Reich—Socialists Fear Big Business Domination.

By SAMUEL SPINACK,  
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BERLIN, Dec. 11.—The first Rhineland parliament assembled at the Cologne City Hall today to take the initial steps toward the formation of an autonomous State within the Reich. It will embrace both Rhineland and Ruhr. No share of trumps will accompany this proceeding. It will be a series of long-drawn out negotiations between Major Adam, Herr Hagen and the industrialists with the autocratic socialists on one side and the French on the other.

Mrs. Rhineland and Herr Voelger, two of the most important industrialists, are members of the parliament, which is composed of Rhineland delegates to the Reichstag. These two men have leading roles in the negotiations. The socialists oppose plan. The socialists members are opposed to autonomy because they see in it a directorate of big business. The moment the new state is formed, the Reich's eight-hour day and social laws will be nullified. Finance will be completely in the hands of the new gold bank of which Herr Hagen is head. Big business will be even more firmly entrenched here than it is in the rest of Germany.

The French do not like the idea

because they know it comes from Berlin, but they are willing to negotiate. In the Reich itself there is opposition to treating the Rhine away from Prussia. So instead of a dramatic assembly, there will be a series of executive meetings and bargaining before the new state is launched.

Due to the new workings of Germany's money machinery, imports are increasing and exports falling off, for prices are based on gold and Germany is the most expensive country in the world. Germany to Abandon Wheat. The price of wheat is 75 per cent higher than in Chicago, so American wheat will be sold up as fast as it can be shipped. Hoarding land barons already are demanding tariff protection from this but they will not get it. But even without American tariff barriers, there would be no danger of a flood of German products into the United States. The rate of exchange is being held at practically the same level as before the war. But prices are three and four times as high as before the war. So the exchange of the victorious countries like France has depreciated 400 per cent, while Germany's is now maintaining the pre-war level for its new gold mark. That makes American products "cheap" and German articles prohibitive.

Important offices have been settled: Premier and Foreign Minister, Ramsay MacDonald.

Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, Philip Snowden.  
Lord Chancellor, Lord Buckmaster.  
Several features of interest are in this slate. MacDonald plans in order to leave himself time for the Foreign Ministry, to let Clines act for him as leader in the Commons except on important occasions. Lord Haldane will not, as rumored, be Lord Chancellor. Labor leaders decided they did not want him, and Lord Buckmaster, former Liberal Lord Chancellor, agreed to take the job.

Lord Haldane has picked up Labor representation in the House of Lords. It is likely now women Minister will be named, either Susan Lawrence for Minister of Health or Margaret Bondfield for Minister of Labor.

Liberals Against Coalition. Doubt whether Baldwin will resign at once is due to advice pressed on him to meet Parliament, propose a protective tariff, and go down with the flag flying. The Liberal attitude is now fairly well defined. The Liberals will not support the Tories in any circumstance, but are willing to let Labor have a chance. On no account, however, will Liberals enter into a coalition with Labor or accept responsibility for Labor's action.

An interesting side light on MacDonald's foreign policy is the suppressed phrase from an interview he gave the Paris Matin Friday. "M. Poincaré's policy is French, and under allies translated into French."

### RELEASE OF SHIP DEMANDED

Dutch Consulate Acts in Case of Steamer Seized With Liquor.  
By the Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The Dutch consulate today demanded the release of the schooner Zeeland, of Dutch registry, which was seized last Friday by the coast guard off Fire Island Inlet with its cargo of \$250,000 worth of liquor.

A legal representative of the consulate appeared before Henry H. Stewart, Assistant Collector of the Port, and declared that the Zeeland had not contemplated an attempt to enter the port. The liquor, he said, was consigned to Halifax. The craft came close to shore, he said, to get fresh water and because of trouble with her auxiliary engine.

Convention City Considered.

When consideration of the 1924 convention city was begun, the subcommittee which received invitations recently from several cities, reported it had no recommendations to make. The report summarized hotel and other facilities in Cleveland, Des Moines and San Francisco, but did not mention the informal invitation presented by Los Angeles.

Fred W. Upham, formally announcing the withdrawal of Chicago, said he came to Washington with a "Painting of a wonderful Chicago sunrise emblazoned with 37 pledges votes." Then I called a number of gentlemen from Boston," said Upham, "and they said: 'You people of the West don't understand much about art. Turn over your picture. It's perfectly clear to us that this is a sunset instead of a sunrise.' So what do we Chicagoans do but withdraw our invitation."

"Chicago owes much to the committee in the past in sending five conventions to our city. We bow with good grace."

## WESTERN G. O. P. LEADERS WARY OF COOLIDGE BOOM

National Committee Lend Encouragement to Other Prospective Candidates.

By CURTIS A. BETTS,  
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The gathering of Republican national committee members here for the pre-campaign meeting today has emphasized that while President Coolidge has control of the party organization just now, there is a feeling of sufficient uncertainty as to his strength throughout the country to cause many committee members, particularly from Western and Middle Western states, to be lending encouragement to other prospective candidates.

It is of course, definitely established that Senator Hiram Johnson of California will have a nationwide organization and will be an active contender with the President for the nomination. It appears to be fairly well established that Senator Watson of Indiana and former Governor Lowden of Illinois will be candidates.

Friends of both have been busy sounding sentiment and they have found a decided dissonance among the committee members from West of the Alleghenies to stand aloof from the Coolidge campaign plans, although there are few who will openly announce opposition to Mr. Coolidge or preference for any of the other prospective candidates.

Waiting for Band Wagon. It is good of a waiting game, waiting presumably until there is some indication of what strength Mr. Coolidge will be able to muster. If his nomination appears certain, most of them will clamor in the Coolidge wagon and will try to appear to have been there all the time. They are not saying anything now that they might have to explain later if the President proves the atonement candidate.

However, if Watson or Lowden should develop formidable strength there are many Westerners who would be highly pleased, and who would be much more comfortable in such an association than in company with the group of New England politicians who are coming to the front as the Coolidge managers and advisers.

Talking to Western committee men, one hears raised, time after time, a question as to just how strong would be Eastern and New England influence in the party councils if Mr. Coolidge should be nominated.

The Westerners guardedly express a considerable fear that it would be such a far cry from the vast extent of middle western and western country that there would be a closely confined Eastern control of affairs in Washington.

The insistence of the administration that Cleveland be selected as the convention city has been seized upon by these dissatisfied Westerners as an indication that they would have little voice in party management. They look upon Cleveland as much more Eastern than Western. Chicago they view as a Western city.

Another Also Reticent. The President and National Committee member Butler of Massachusetts, who will be the Coolidge campaign manager, are not the type of politicians with whom the Rabler, Mulvane and Harris type of committee men like to deal. Most of the Westerners have attempted to talk to Mr. Coolidge since he became President, and within the last few days most of them have attempted to discuss political matters with Butler, or at least have attempted to get acquainted with him.

The general verdict is that Butler does not put out much more than Coolidge, meaning that he is reticent and does not discuss his plans, at least generally with the committee men.

With Watson or Lowden, they are convinced, it would be different. Watson has been one of them and has played the game of practical presidential politics for many years. They found Lowden four years ago, to be susceptible to the demands of practical politics, as they play it, and they would not hesitate to join with him if he appeared to have sufficient opportunity to make their effort worth while.

According to present plans, neither Watson nor Lowden will be an announced candidate, each. It is being suggested that there may be a sufficient number of unattached delegates who will refuse to vote for either Coolidge or Johnson to bring about a deadlock in the convention.

With such a situation the negotiations would begin for a compromise candidate, and then would prove the value of having among the unattached delegates a goodly number who were friendly to either Lowden or Watson.

## SENATE AGAIN VAINLY TRIES TO BREAK DEADLOCK

Adjourns After Taking 3 Ballots With Cummins 4 Votes Short of Election as Committee Head.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The Senate again found itself in a deadlock as it resumed balloting for the election of a chairman of the Interstate Commerce Committee.

Senator Cummins, Republican, Iowa, who now holds the dual position of chairman of the Committee and President pro tem of the Senate, received 41 votes for the chairmanship on the first ballot to 39 for Senator Smith, Democrat, South Carolina, and seven for Senator La Follette of Wisconsin, leader of the Republican insurgents. This left Cummins three short of the necessary majority.

On the second ballot Cummins again was short three votes of the necessary majority. La Follette held his seven votes. Cummins again got 41 and Smith 39.

Cummins vote dropped to 39 in the third ballot, Smith holding his 39 and La Follette his 7. With Cummins four short of a majority, the Senate went into executive session and later adjourned until tomorrow, when there will be more balloting.

Supporting La Follette were the same seven Senators who brought about the deadlock yesterday after Senator Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, a member of the Interstate Commerce Committee, forced a separate vote on the chairmanship. They were Brookhart, Iowa; Ladd and Frasier, North Dakota; and Norris and Hootch, Nebraska.

These Senators want repeal or revision of the transportation act. In addition, some of them are opposed to one Senator holding two such important posts as those held by Senator Cummins.

"Old Guard" Using Deadlock as Club to Beat Cummins. Post-Dispatch Bureau.  
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WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Protest against the deadlock in the Senate over the election of a chairman for the Interstate Commerce Committee will last several days interspersed with occasional attempts to do business. Nobody seems to know how the difficulty will be compassed.

The old guard, which prefers Curtis of Kansas for the presidency of the Senate, are employing the tie-up as a club to oust Senator Cummins. But they have beaten at him for two weeks without doing his resolve to stay until voted out.

Indications point to his ultimate vacating of the Interstate Commerce Committee chairmanship, whereupon the G. O. P. will nominate another candidate for the chairmanship—who will not be La Follette. That probably will renew hostilities, unless a deal can be made with the Democrats.

La Follette is still at home in and cannot be reached, which further embarrasses the Republican true doctors. They are genuinely perplexed and annoyed.

Revolutionary Movement in Portugal Suppressed.

Surrender of Rebellious Forces in Lisbon Compelled Without Bloodshed.  
By the Associated Press.  
LISBON, Dec. 11.—A revolutionary movement broke out in Lisbon last night, but was promptly put down. The energetic action of the Government obliged the rebellious elements to surrender, and order was restored without bloodshed.

Later, the President visited the Lisbon barracks and naval arsenal. Conditions today are normal.

horse type of campaign.

## GARDEN OF FAMILY POISONED SHOWS MALIGNANT GERMS

Traces of Botulism Found Also in Home-Preserved Beans That Caused Three Deaths.  
CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—Samples of soil from the garden of the family attacked by botulism poisoning at Morrill, Neb., were declared today to show evidence of class A botulism, according to Dr. John C. Geiger, epidemiologist of the United States Public Health Service and professor at the University of Chicago. Samples from the soil of two other nearby gardens were examined and one of these, Dr. Geiger said, showed botulism. Twenty per cent of the soil of the State of Nebraska, Dr. Geiger said, showed the presence of botulism germs. It was the class A botulism he said which was found in samples of the home-preserved string beans which caused the deaths of John Lorenz, his wife and a farm hand at Morrill. The investigation by Dr. Geiger indicated that deadly botulism germs were carried from garden soils to vegetables, which were preserved and eaten without sufficient care to effect sterilization. Presence of the germs in the soil, the report showed, often means the presence of the germs in products grown from that soil. Home-preserved foods, unless put up in a saturated solution of salt or sugar, or in less boiled sufficiently, are said to be subject to possible botulism poisoning.

Farmer Attacked by Skunks.

COLUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 11.—While walking over his farm yesterday, Ernest Jacobs, who lives about seven miles west of here, was attacked by eight skunks. The mammals, emboldened by hunger, led a vicious attack on the farmer, approaching so near that he kicked and then away. Jacobs had his shotgun with him and killed three of the skunks at the first shot. The remaining five attacked more viciously, but Jacobs finally killed the entire family. He sold the fur to a local dealer.

### U. S. TO PARTICIPATE UNOFFICIALLY IN REPARATIONS INQUIRY

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Estimated at about \$750,000,000, which includes the value of claims to be adjusted by the American-German claims commission and the discharge by Germany of debts due this Government for maintenance in Germany of the Army of Occupation.

Information received here indicated that Germany will be allowed membership on one of the investigating committees. No German members will be appointed to the committee having to do with examination of capital removed from Germany, but a representative of the Berlin Government would be included in the personnel of the committee whose inquiry will be directed to the state of German finances and the balancing of the German budget.

Eight Focus on Committee.

With this end in view, perhaps, Henrik Shipstead of Minnesota, the new Farm-Labor Senator and an ardent foe of the League of Nations, was awarded a coveted place on the Foreign Relations Committee. Within recollection, no other new Senator has been assigned to this body, already regarded by the Democrats as the most "backed" committee on record.

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## WORLD COURT APPEARS LOST IN COMMITTEE

Enough Enemies Seated on Senate Foreign Relations Body to Kill Proposal This Session.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Senators Lenroot, of Wisconsin, for the Republicans, and King, of Utah, for the Democrats, yesterday renewed the issue over American adherence to the world court by introducing resolutions in the Senate providing for this country's entry.

The King resolution calls for action by the Senate exactly on the lines laid down by the late President Harding when he first offered the court proposal. That is, it provides for American adherence under the reservations credited to Secretary of State Hughes, which are intended to divorce the League of Nations from the court.

The Lenroot method, however, is a new one; the authorship might have originated with the irreconcilables, for it involves such radical changes in the organization of the court as to render it impracticable, if not impossible, that the nations now members of the court would accept.

It would require these nations to set up a new scheme of choosing judges, taking the election out of the hands of the council and assembly of the league and assigning it to two groups of nations, one consisting of the United States, England, France, Italy, Japan, Germany and Brazil, the other made up of the smaller nations interested.

The fact that President Coolidge's message "commended" the world court "to the favorable consideration" of the Senate caused no concern among the party leaders, for they consider the President a mild champion and plan to bury the court program within the so-called graveyard of the Committee on Foreign Relations.

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A Political Issue. Henry Horn, who was the chief political issue of the town since he went away. Each aspirant for the office of State's Attorney has been waited on by a group of grinning German farmers and "What are you going to do with Henry Horn?" has been the question invariably asked.

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## PROAL, "LENINE OF MEXICO," EXECUTED BY FIRING SQUAD

De la Huerta Troops Reported to Have Directed Killing at Vera Cruz.  
By the Associated Press.  
SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 11.—Heron Proal, sometimes known as "The Lenine of Mexico," was executed by a firing squad in Plaza at Vera Cruz, shortly after the revolution broke, according to the Associated Press, California branch.

De la Huerta troops are reported to have directed the execution. Proal was the president of the Great Britain, and took a prominent part in the communist movement in Mexico City in February, 1923.

### SENATE CONFIRMS

Johnson and Shipstead. By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—After a contest in executive session, the nomination of Frank R. Johnson, former United States Senator from Minnesota, to be Ambassador to Great Britain, was confirmed today by the Senate.

The vote, as subsequently announced, was 75 to 9. Then came against confirmation were Norris, Iowa; Frasier, North Dakota; Ladd, North Dakota; Shipstead, Minnesota; Wheeler, Montana; Democrat, and Shipstead and Johnson, Farm Labor, Minnesota.

Man, Separated From Wife, Killed. Leon J. Guthrie, assistant in the Weather Bureau at Adams, Okla., killed himself there with a revolver last night. He left a note asking that a sister, Mrs. Laura C. Martin of St. Louis, be informed. He said in his note that his death was due to a heart ailment. He had been married to his wife for the past several years. He is survived also by a son and two daughters.

Hiram Johnson, Moses McClellan, all rabid isolationists, who placed on it, Lenroot, who of Ohio and Father of Pennsylvania have been added to the Republican side, while Robinson of Arkansas, Underwood of Alabama, Walsh of Montana and Owen of Oklahoma are the new Democratic members.

This means that, with Shipstead and Lenroot, the committee will have eight enemies in the committee, or enough to kill the proposal for this session at least.

That is the Republican position in the Senate. The Democrats, however, intend to force the issue to the front as often as possible and to demand discharge of the committee as a means of examining the world court. Long and open debate impends, but the vote to thwart the G. O. P. are not so sure.

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## DUQUOIN WAITING TO HEAR STORY OF PRODIGAL BANKER

Town Suspends Judgment on Cashier Who Flew Nine Years Ago After Bank Failure.

### THREE INDICTMENTS PENDING AGAINST HIM

"Hullo, Henry, Where You Been Keepin' Yourself?" Is Brother-in-Law's Casual Greeting.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.  
DUQUOIN, Ill., Dec. 11.—Men on the streets here last night were saying: "Well, I hear Henry Horn came back," to which the usual response was: "Yep, he did. Saw him in town Saturday."

Public conversation about Henry Horn has got no further. He ran away nine years ago after his father's bank closed with a shortage of \$480,000. The father, Henry Horn, had died a day or so before and as Henry was cashier of the bank the blame fell on him.

Left Wife and Children. Leaving his wife and three young daughters, Henry ran away to South America and was not seen again until he walked into Duquoin and the bank paid 45 per cent to its depositors. Neither Henry nor his two brothers, Tom and Frank, have paid anything more during the nine years and there will be no promises that they will.

It was true that 25 business men who had given Henry a \$40,000 bond when he appeared Saturday. But they did not welcome him home with open arms.

"Hullo Henry. Where you been keepin' yourself so long?" were the very words with which the brother-in-law, greeted him when Henry walked into the West side drug store. It was that way up and down Main street. Perhaps they might have been shown how Henry had made his money. He had been married to his wife for the past several years. He is survived also by a son and two daughters.

But he appeared in very poor circumstances, and what is less exciting than the return of a bank cashier without the money he is alleged to have stolen?

Judgment Reserved. For the greater part, Du Quoin's relatives and friends are saying that it was all his father's fault, and that he was made the goat.

There are three indictments pending with leave to retort against Henry. They charge him with embezzling the bank's money after he knew the Du Quoin bank of Henry Horn was insolvent in 1914. State's Attorney Judson Harris of Du Quoin told a correspondent today that he would ask leave to reinstate the prosecution when Horn goes before the City Court here on his bond Jan. 8.

Horn is understood to be dividing his time between St. Louis and West Frankfort. He would ask leave to reinstate the prosecution when Horn goes before the City Court here on his bond Jan. 8.

Henry wants to come back and go to work," he said. "We haven't a penny now. Of course, before we can make any plans there has to be an end to this thing."

Neither he nor M. C. Cook, Horn's attorney would divulge his exact whereabouts.

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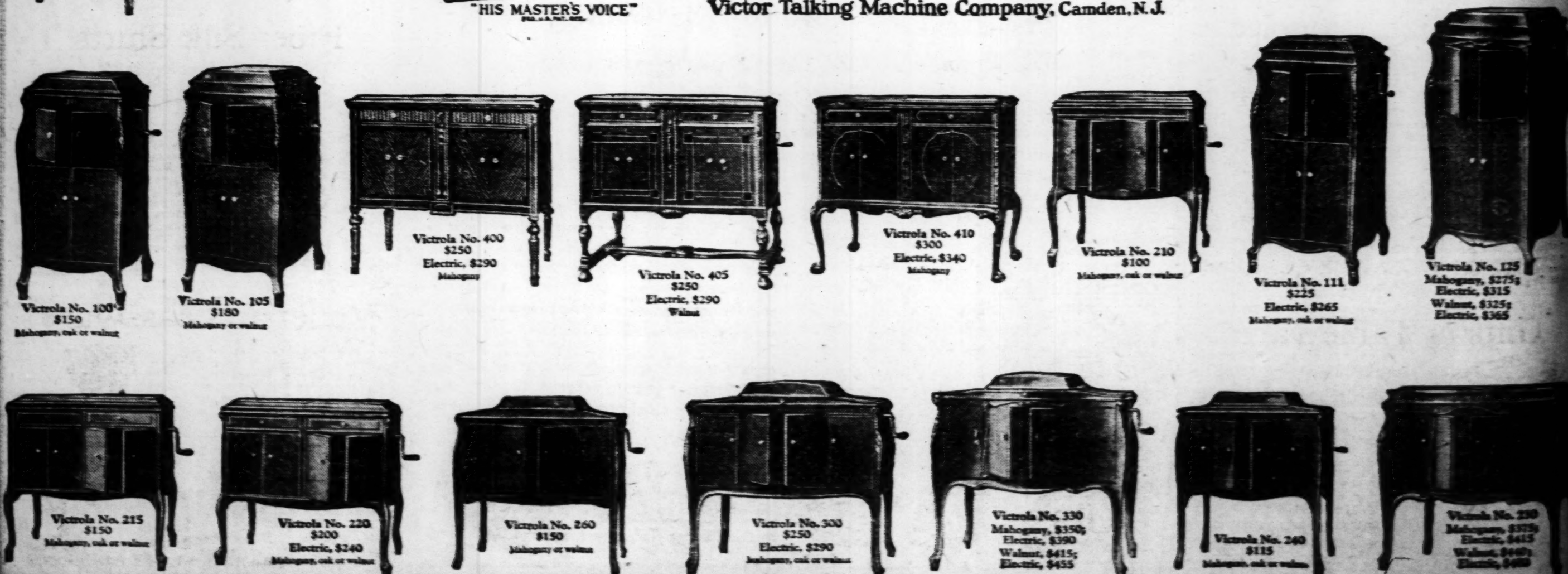
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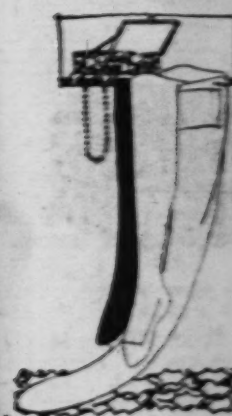
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At \$1.00 Box

Women's Initialed Handkerchiefs, of Irish linen, are moderately priced at 6 for \$1.00, in neat gift boxes.

(Main Floor.)

## Fine Silk Hose

\$2.65 and \$3.50

WOMEN'S full-fashioned fine quality thread silk Hose, silk to the top, made with high spliced heel, double sole and reinforced toe. Desirable medium weight. Black only.

At \$2.50

Thread silk Hose, full-fashioned with mercerized lisle tops, double soles and high-spliced heel, reinforced toes add to their wearing qualities.

(Main Floor.)

## Extra-Size Lingerie

\$2.98 and \$3.98

THESE Philippine Gowns and Envelope Chemises are made of fine tanmook, beautifully hand embroidered in many designs, and finished with scalloped and hemstitching. Sizes 46 to 50.

### Extra-Size Petticoats

\$3.98, \$4.98 and \$5.98

Petticoats of silk jersey have satin flounces; those of rayon come in pleated or straightline models; they are neatly trimmed with inserts of contrasting colors, small pleating and hemstitching.

(Second Floor.)

## Gifts of Tableware

Large Casseroles, \$6.00

TEN-INCH oval Casserole, with Pyrex insert, and engraved lid. Pierced design.

Sandwich Plates, \$5.00

Cake and Sandwich Plates, in platinum finish, with side handles. Neat pierced designs.

Water Pitchers

\$8.75 and \$10.00

Large size Pitchers on stands, in plain Colonial design. Bright or platinum finish.

(Main Floor.)



## We Offer 300 of These Warm WINTER COATS To Delight the Tiny Tots

ONE of the gayest of the Christmas ceremonies is when the small boys and girls frolic about in the warm new Winter garments that Santa provides. With this thought in mind, we are offering as a Christmas special, 300 Coats of the season's newest materials and modes in three specially priced groups, at

\$7.95 \$10.95 \$19.95

In this group are boys' man-tailored Coats of all-wool mixtures, with smart pockets and belts; and girls' Coats of polaire and tweed, in flare models, some tailored, and others with fur collars.

In the second group are girls' and boys' Coats of broadcloth, velour, polaire and chinchilla, in many different models, some strictly tailored and others trimmed with fur stitching and smoking.

Children's Three-Piece Sets are offered in this group, and include coat, hat and leggings of polaire and wool mixtures; also attractive Two-Piece Sets of camel's hair, showing coat and hat to match.

Other Coats Offered at a Discount of 33 1/3%.

(Second Floor.)

## Visit Toytown and See Santa Claus

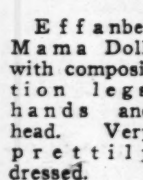
Fairyland holds many attractions for girls and boys, for Santa himself is there, attended by his Brownies. For everyone who has a 25c ticket, Santa has a Gift Package containing suitable Toy.

Swing Horse, \$8.95



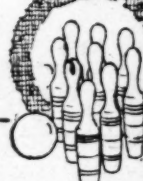
This is a fine large plush Horse on substantial frame.

Mama Doll, \$5.49



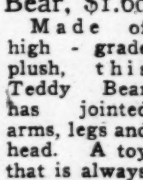
Effanbee Mama Doll, with composition legs, hands and head. Very prettily dressed.

Tenpin Set, 49c



Tenpin Sets, are nicely made, finished in red with black stripes.

Teddy Bear, \$1.60



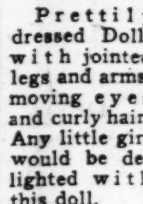
Made of high-grade plush, this Teddy Bear has jointed arms, legs and head. A toy that is always welcome.

Steam Shovel, \$5.75



This is a Buddy Steam Shovel, made of heavy gauge steel finished in baked black enamel.

Dressed Doll, \$4.39



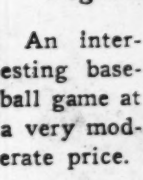
Prettily dressed Dolls with jointed legs and arms, moving eyes and curly hair. A little girl would be delighted with this doll.

Bagatelle Game, \$1.50



Very interesting game for either boys or girls.

Peg Baseball, 65c



An interesting baseball game at a very moderate price.

(Fifth Floor.)

## A SALE OF SLIPPERS

Will Provide 10,000 Lovely Christmas Gifts

A purchase of 10,000 pairs of women's Christmas Slippers enables us to give you the finest quality felt Slippers in all designs and colors at a cost greatly below normal. The Standard Felt Slipper Company of West Alhambra, California, makers of the well-known Cosy Toe Slippers, has offered us a closed-out stock at reduced prices, which we happily share with our patrons.

At \$1.19 Pair

Fancy Cosy Toe Mules, with padded wool soles, ribbon trimmed.

Felt Cosy Toe Moccasins, with silk pompons and silk ribbon trimming. All colors.

At \$1.45 Pair

Hylo Cosy Toe styles that button up high or low around the ankle.

Gosy Toe leather sole or padded wool soles in other patterns, including one-straps with tongue, etc. Splendid variety of colors.

At \$1.65 Pair

Cosy Toe leather-sole Julietts, ribbon or plush trimmed, finest quality leather bottoms. Felt uppers and trimmings. Perfect fitting lasts, all sizes and desirable colors.

At 85c Pair

Another lot of felt Slippers not made by the above concern. Moccasin style with silk pompons, ribbon trimmed, also in combinations of colors. Padded wool soles and all sizes. Offering a splendid assortment of quilted satin Mules, Operas, D'Orsayes, etc. Also some special imports in Mules from France, in colored suedes of exceedingly delicate hues.

Pullman Slippers in cases for men and women. Imported direct from France, in beautiful colors.

(Thrifty Avenue and Shoe Dept.—Main Floor.)



## Wrist Watches

At \$6.95



TONNEAU and octagon-shaped Watches, with white-gold-filled engraved cases, silver dials, and sapphire jeweled stems. Guaranteed 10-year movements.

The price is unusually low. Each Watch is in a gift box.

Diamond Rings, \$25

Filigree solitaire mounting of 18-karat white-gold, set with beautiful singly diamond. A very handsome gift at a low cost.

(Main Floor.)

## Gift Stationery

Special, \$1.25

AN attractive assortment of novelty gift cabinets containing fine Stationery. There is a choice between white and delicate tints, and each package is neatly tied with ribbon. The cabinets contain 24 sheets of writing paper, 24 gold-edged correspondence cards, and 48 envelopes to match.

(Main Floor.)



## Leather Bags

Special, \$2.98



HERE is an opportunity to purchase, at a decided saving, Handbags of real leather, in smart new pouch styles.

They are trimmed with fancy filigree frames, or with callifield inserts. Many of them have the inside frame purse that is so convenient; others have separate coin purses. All are nicely lined and fitted with mirror. Regulation or pannier handles.

Black, brown and tan are the colors.

(Main Floor.)

## Men's Chinchilla Caps

Very Specially Priced

\$2.50

WHEN you see the excellent quality of these Caps you will appreciate what an unusual value they offer. They are fashioned of the finest quality all-wool chinchilla.

Made in one-piece style with or without ear bands. Silk serge linings. In tan, brown and gray—plain tones or popular overplaid effects.

(Main Floor.)



## Fiber Silk Shirts

Exceptional Values

\$3.35

THIS is a special purchase and offers exceedingly attractive values. Included are Shirts of Galey & Lord's fiber silks, as well as fine silk and cotton mixtures.

They are patterned in stripes, checks and solid effects in a variety of attractive colors, and well made in neckband styles—some have extra soft collars to match. Sizes 14 to 17. Gift box with every purchase.

(Main Floor.)



## Venetian Glassware

In Special Selling

At \$5.00

Perfume Bottles Comports  
Puff Boxes Vases  
Candlesticks

At \$7.50

Candy Jars Vases  
Candlesticks  
Footed Bowls

At \$10.00

Fruit Bowls Flower Bowls  
Candy Jars Candlesticks

(Oriental Bazaar—Fifth Floor.)





## KEEPS CHILDREN WELL ALL WINTER

FOR children who are weak, frail and thin Gude's Pepto-Mangan is the ideal tonic. It contains the iron they need for rich, pure blood and bodily energy. It helps to build firm, solid flesh, and brings a healthy color to the cheeks. It is palatable; children take it readily. It will not upset the stomach nor affect the teeth. At this season every child will benefit by taking Gude's. At your drug-gist's, in liquid and tablet form.

## Gude's Pepto-Mangan Tonic and Blood Enricher

## TO-NIGHT TOMORROW ACRIGHT

## Be Well And Happy

and you have Nature's remedy (Mr. Tablets) a vegetable laxative, tones the system and relieves Constipation, Bilelessness, Sick Headaches, nervousness and good feeling to remedy to being well and happy.



Get a 50c Box.  
Chips off the Old Block  
MR. JUNIORS—Little Mr.  
The same MR—in one-third dose, easily control. For children and adults.  
Sold By Your Druggist

## CHRISTMAS CARDS—A BIG ASSORTMENT

BUXTON & SKINNER  
FOURTH NEAR OLIVE

Secure the RIGHT KIND of  
BROUERS or BROADERS through  
POST-DISPATCH WANT ADS.

## PRINCE'S OFFER FOR REMBRANDTS REFUSED

Felix Yousoff May egin Legal  
Action Against Joseph  
E. Widener.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The tentative offer by Prince Felix Yousoff, once the richest man in Russia, to Joseph E. Widener, Philadelphia millionaire and sportsman, for the recovery of the famous Rembrandt portraits obtained by Widener, has been refused. A lawsuit to recover the portraits will be begun by the Prince within three weeks if Widener persists in his refusal, it is said. Under the terms of the contract through which the Prince has until Jan. 1, 1934, to recover them, Widener paid \$100,000 (\$50,000) to the Prince in August, 1921, for the pictures. The Prince reserved the right to get them back within two and a half years by the payment of the purchase price with 8 per cent interest added.

An offer of this amount was made by Emory R. Buckner, counsel for Prince Yousoff a few days ago. It was refused by Ellis Amos Ballard, attorney for Widener. Ballard told him, Buckner said, that the offer was refused because the Prince was offering borrowed money from a Paris bank, to which he wishes to turn over the portraits under conditions like those by which Widener obtained them.

A formal offer of the same amount will be made to Widener in the next few days. If he refuses, as seems certain, legal action will be begun.

**SAILS 10,000 MILES TO WED**  
London School Teacher Will Be Married on Fanning Island.  
By the Associated Press.  
LIVERPOOL, Dec. 11.—A girl's romantic journey of 10,000 miles to get married on Fanning Island, one of the Fanning group in the North Pacific, was disclosed yesterday when Miss Margaret Birch, formerly a London school mistress, sailed aboard the Cedric to join her fiancé, Maj. Outhbert Burncullander, who is manager of a company on the lonely isle, engaged in developing copra exports.

She is accompanied by other officers and the party will complete the trip from San Francisco in the company's 106-ton schooner Doris Crane. This craft will take 25 days to make the voyage. The marriage will be solemnized by the schooner's captain.

Sail for the South Seas.  
STOCKHOLM, Nov. 20.—A group of Swedish adventurers has just sailed for Borneo and other

South Sea Islands, to take motion pictures and write impressions for the benefit of their fellow citizens. They will be gone eight months.

## Briggs-Vandervoort-Barney

Store Hours: Daily, 9 to 5:30; Saturday, 9 to 6  
Olive and Locust From Ninth to Tenth



Just Received—

## New Overcoats

Regular \$40, \$45, \$50 Values... **\$35.00**

- ☐ Tans—browns—grays—popular plaids.
- ☐ Good Winter Coats.
- ☐ Smart models for men and young men.

Men's Clothing Shop—Second Floor.

## Scruggs-Vandervoort-Barney

Only 11 More Shopping Days Before Christmas—Shop Early!

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## LAMPS



All-Iron Sunroom Lamp  
**\$10.25**

The Lamp has an adjustable arm. The shade is attractively stenciled and of an unusual shape.



Bridge Lamp  
**\$17.00**

Stippled gold base, with bands of black in artful contrast. The silk shade is also silk lined.



Reading Lamp  
**\$4.45**

Adjustable arm. Shade of amber with black bands in attractive contrast. Most practical as a Christmas gift.



A Distinctive Lamp  
**\$32.25**

Base is finished with gold leaf richly tinted with hexagon-shaped silk. The silk shade is very new in design.



Boudoir Lamp  
**\$2.98**

Base is finished in ivory enamel. The shade is of glass, artistic in form, with decorative touches in contrasting color.

Friendly Lamps, that shed a happy glow, that gladden with their charm, that long remain a treasured gift.

Selections in the Fourth Floor Lamp Shop are sure to please; the proportions are artistic; the prices reveal remarkable values.



Pottery Boudoir Lamp  
**\$2.98**

A charming addition to the boudoir. Blue pottery base, with silk shade in corresponding tone.

## Electrical Gifts Are Useful Every Day in the Year



## Westinghouse Electric Appliances

Are distinctive in beauty and dependability and represent the utmost thoughtfulness and good taste of the giver.

There is a Westinghouse Electrical Gift for everybody—your family, your friends, your associates. They are not expensive, and will carry to everyone for whom you may thoughtfully select them the lasting gift of Service—the Greatest Gift of All.

## THESE PICTURED HERE ARE ONLY A FEW SUGGESTIONS

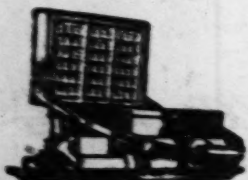
You will find in our store an extensive showing of things electrical to suit your taste and delight the hearts of those you want to make happy.

Just have them charged on your light bill, in monthly payments, if you wish.

**UNION ELECTRIC LIGHT and POWER COMPANY**  
Main 3220, 12th and Locust St. Central 3530.



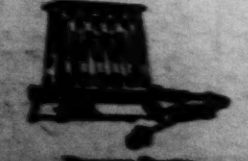
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Safe



Coffee Percolator



Vacuum



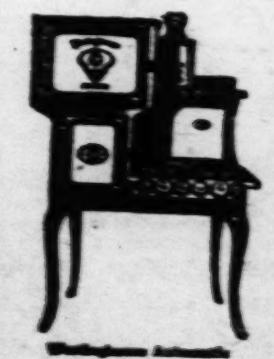
Washing Machine



Coking Iron



Table Lamp



Vacuum



Electric Candlestick  
**\$5.75**

Of carved wood, beautifully finished in gold leaf. May be used singly or in pairs. A charming adjunct to the console table or desk.



Vase Table Lamp  
**\$20.00**

Has two lights; adjustable socket. The vase base is of gold mounting. The silk shade is in the popular Empire shape.



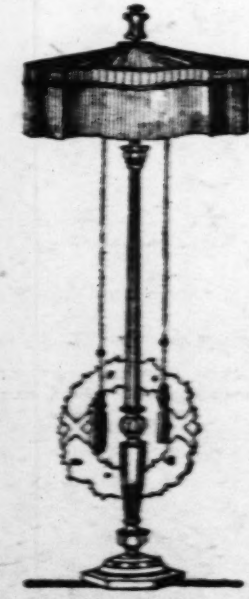
Mahogany Bedroom Lamp  
**\$9.90**

Base in dull finished mahogany. The oval silk shade may be had in all the desirable colors.



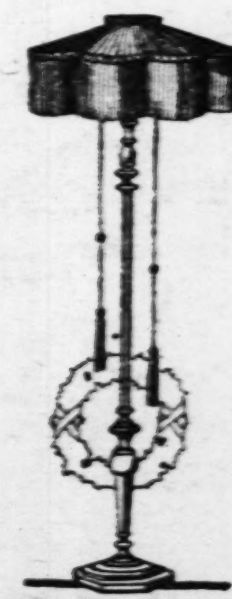
A Table Lamp of Real Beauty  
**\$92.00**

The unbreakable vase base is of exquisitely finished hand-wrought gold. The shade of gold cloth comes out every detail to perfection.



Floor Lamp  
**\$32.25**

Artistic in design and shape; hexagon base. The silk shade is silk-lined and may be had in choice of black over tangerine or taupe over tangerine.



Junior Sized Lamp  
**\$24.50**

Ideal wherever a Lamp of the smaller size is desired. Base is richly finished in gold leaf and enamel. The shade is of taupe silk.



An Exquisite Arm Lamp  
**\$29.50**

Base is of black and gold leaf. The shade is of fine quality of silk, exceptional in workmanship.



Hand-Wrought Torchere  
**\$49.50**

Of hand-wrought iron—a superb example of fine workmanship beautifully toned and finished in antique gold leaf.

## Vandervoort's for Lamps

Lamp Shop—Fourth Floor.

## COATS In the Variety EXTRA-SIZES

Selections made with a p and style.

And from a wide choice of

The prices are most favorable complete satisfaction in the

There are splendid Coats own furs.

Some at \$29.75. And others

There are fur-trimmed Coats

At \$85, \$95, \$125, Coats ing the most preferred choice of fine fur trimming

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There are Coats of extraordinary values for their ing in price from

There are Coats of mer most desired pile fabrics,

In fact, the individuality quality, combined with the pricings, go to make our most desirable and convincing

Extra Size Shop



## Gifts from the

Most desirable to those who these things that add so much to

## Couch Cover

A beautiful assortment of V in stripes and allover designs. Others are shown in wool, art range in price from

## Table Scarfs

Timed brocaded Scarfs imp bright color combinations. May designed for odd shape and Priced from

## Tapestry Panels, \$

A large selection of imported rious sizes appropriate for wall place, consoles or buffets.

## Piano Bench

Very practical and useful quality of velour in various with resille hair and held with A large assortment of other brocades, mohairs and combine and tassels. Priced from

## Screens Are

Three and four fold Screens, both decorative and useful for They come covered with haring

Beautiful hand-decorated So many of genuine leather, ran

## Velour Portieres, \$

A limited number of double Portieres. 50 inches by 2 1/2 yd in various solid or reversible \$55.00 value.

## Ruffled Curtains,

350 pairs of extra-quality m quette Curtains, self-ruffled

## Fringed Net Curtains

An assortment of various st glow lace and allover design frings.

Drapery Shop



Lunch in the Vander-  
voort Tea Rooms and  
Basement Cafeteria.

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Only 11 More Shopping  
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"The Store of the Christmas Spirit"

Olive and Locust From Ninth to Tenth

COATS  
In the Vandervoort  
EXTRA-SIZE SHOP

Selections made with a pleasing certainty of line and style.

And from a wide choice of Coats for all purposes.

The prices are most favorably graded to assure complete satisfaction in the purchase.

There are splendid Coats to be worn with one's own furs.

Some at \$29.75. And others up to \$125.00

There are fur-trimmed Coats as low as \$59.75

At \$85, \$95, \$125, Coats are obtainable, combining the most preferred fabrics with a selective choice of fine fur trimmings.

Throughout the entire range displays and prices have been provided for the purpose of meeting the individual desire of every woman requiring extra sizes.

There are Coats in sports effects, with the dash of sports style adding to their usefulness for general utility wear.

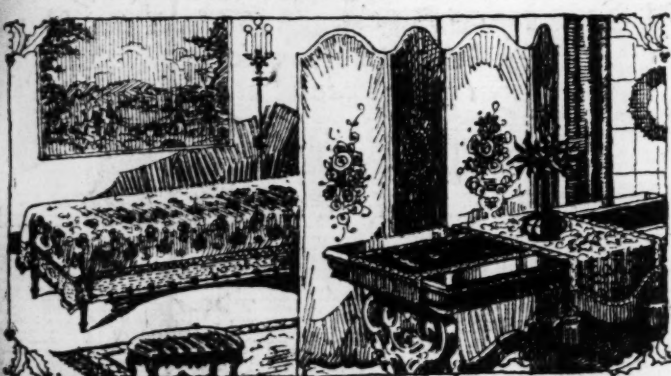
There are Coats of the most luxurious fur trimming, the finest fabrics, with embroidered designs effectively embellishing their rich appearance.

There are Coats of exceptional worth and remarkable values for their superb quality. Ranging in price from \$145 to \$275

There are Coats of merit, made of the best and most desired pile fabrics, fur trimmed at \$75.00

In fact, the individuality, large choice and real quality, combined with their specially attractive priceings, go to make our extra-size Coat offerings most desirable and convincing.

Extra Size Shop—Third Floor.



## Gifts from the Drapery Shop

Most desirable to those who plan the home interior, are these things that add so much to its attractiveness.

## Couch Covers at \$5.50

A beautiful assortment of Venetian and tapestry weaves in stripes and allover designs.

Others are shown in wool, art silk and cotton tapestries and range in price from \$6.50 to \$17.50

## Table Scarfs at \$4.75

Tinsel brocaded Scarfs imported from France in many bright color combinations. Many sizes and styles especially designed for odd shape and large size tables and pianos. Priced from \$6.75 to \$75.00

## Tapestry Panels, \$4.95 to \$125.00

A large selection of imported scenic wall Tapestries. Various sizes appropriate for wall decorations, over the fireplace, consoles or buffets.

## Piano Bench Pads, \$2.95

Very practical and useful Pads covered with a good quality of velour in various color combinations. Filled with resillo hair and held with bands.

A large assortment of other Pads covered with damask, brocades, mohairs and combinations with metal decorations and tassels. Priced from \$3.45 to \$15.00

## Screens Are Useful Gifts

Three and four fold Screens in a variety of styles that are both decorative and useful for partition, draft or fire Screens. They come covered with burlap and range in price from \$9.00 to \$18.50

Beautiful hand-decorated Screens imported from England. Many of genuine leather, range from \$70.00 to \$300.00

## Velour Portieres, Special at \$37.50

A limited number of double-faced imported sunfast Velour Portieres. 50 inches by 2 1/2 yards, with French edge, shown in various solid or reversible color combinations. A regular \$55.00 value.

## Ruffled Curtains, Special at \$1.59

350 pairs of extra-quality mercerized double crossbar Marquette Curtains, self-ruffled with tie-backs to match.

## Fringed Net Curtains, Special, \$1.49

An assortment of various styles and patterns in heavy burlap lace and allover designs finished with heavy bullion fringe.

Drapery Shop—Fourth Floor.

## Christmas Sale of 225 Chairs

Specially Purchased for This  
Christmas Sale

Prices Averaging

25%

Less Than Regular

A Display in Wide Range of Choice  
Showing Remarkable Values

\$75.00



\$15



\$93.54



\$59.75



\$59.50



\$120

## Chairs of Every Description

Hand Carved Frames  
Needle Point Tapestry  
Needle Point Reproductions  
Imported Wool TapestryMuseum Finish  
Mahogany and Walnut  
Velvet and Mohair  
Coverings. Period Designs.

In addition hundreds of Chairs suitable for every room and purpose at a range of prices to satisfy every desire.

Fifth Floor.

## One of the Biggest Doll Events We Have Ever Offered

Featuring a Tremendous Display of  
Mama Dolls, Offered at Amazing-  
ly Low Prices! Shop Now!Don't Forget the Kiddies! Read This Ad and  
Then Visit Our Wonderful Display of  
Toys in the Vandervoort Toy Shop.

## Betty Wonder Dolls

Regular Price \$15.00

Special at \$10.00

Betty is dressed in white organdie with cap to match trimmed in pink or blue bows. 25 1/2-inch size.



## Wonder Dolls

Regular \$23.50

\$15.50 Each

25 inch Mama walking and talking Dolls. Goose girl, dressed in white pique, trimmed in green, has wig. Very special at this price.



## Wonder Dolls

Regular Price \$29.50

Special at \$19.95

Different styles, colored dresses. 25-inch size, with composition head, arms, legs and real hair wig.



## Wonder Dolls

Regular Price, \$10.00

Special at \$6.95

Sammy, Gretchen, Junior, Butterfly, Jack, Goose Girl and Owl, all dressed, can walk and talk



## Wonder Dolls

Regular Price \$7.25

Special at \$4.95

Dressed in assorted color suits, 20-inch size. Has composition head, arms and legs.



## Baby Character Dolls

Regular Price, \$1.25

Special Price, 98c

Look just like a baby, have moving eyes; wig.



## Billy Boy Wonder Doll

Regular Price \$12.50

Special Price, \$9.95

Can walk and talk; has composition head, arms, legs, 25-inch; dressed in adorable checked gingham rompers in pink or blue.



## Wonder Dolls

Regular Price \$5.00

Special at \$3.98

Dressed in pink or blue dresses; 18-inch size, have composition head and arms.

Hand-Wrought  
Torchere

\$49.50

Hand-wrought example of fine workmanship beautifully toned and finished in antique gold leaf.

## At 1/2 Price

Less than replacement cost.  
Less than the cost of making.  
50% less than the regular selling price.Lace and Embroidered  
Neckwear

Over a Thousand Beautiful Gift Pieces

Collars  
and Cuffs

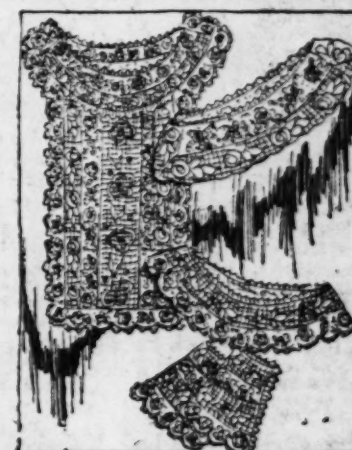
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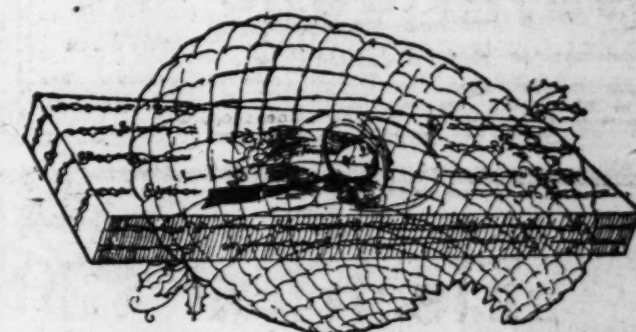
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Real Lace  
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eries.Prices begin at \$1.00  
Many attractive selections at, each \$1.00  
Exceptional values priced at \$1.25 and \$2.00  
Many exquisite styles between \$3 and \$5  
Others of unusual design and quality of real lace up to \$10.00

OUR fortunate reservation—secured at tremendous concessions—of the sample displays of prominent neckwear connections enables us to announce this value-giving event.

Neckwear Shop—First Floor.



## S.V.B. Real Hair Nets

Very Special in a Christmas Box,

\$1.00 the Dozen

An acceptable Christmas gift packed one dozen to the Box. Box prettily decorated.

Hair Nets are made of the very highest grade hair, hand woven; may be had in either cap, or coiffure style.

Make a most dainty gift.

Notion Shop—First Floor.

## 250 Room-Size Rugs

Especially Priced

Give her the practical gift of a Rug for Christmas—present both useful and beautiful. Here is a list of Rugs offered at unusual prices:

## 100 Wilton Velvet Rugs

Specially Priced!

40 Wilton Rugs, size 9x12; regular prices \$84, \$89 and \$90; special at \$74.75  
20 Wilton Rugs, size 8.3x10.6; regular prices \$77.50 and \$85.00; special at \$69.75  
15 Wilton Rugs, size 6x9; regular price \$56.00; special at \$47.75  
25 Wilton Rugs, 27x54; regular price \$9.75; special at \$7.50

## 95 Seamless Axminster Rugs

Specially Priced!

35 heavy seamless Axminster Rugs, size 9x12; regular price \$67.50; special \$55.75  
10 heavy seamless Axminster Rugs, size 8.3x10.6; regular price \$60.00; special \$51.75  
20 heavy seamless Axminster Rugs, size 9x12; regular price \$58.50; special \$49.75  
20 heavy seamless Axminster Rugs, size 9x12; regular price \$47.50; special \$39.75  
10 heavy seamless Axminster Rugs, size 4.6x6.6; regular price \$15.75; special \$13.75

## 130 Seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs

Specially Priced!

50 extra grade seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs, size 9x12; regular price \$75.00; special \$64.75  
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These Hand Cars have ball-bearing bicycle spoke wheels with one-inch rubber tires, made of steel frame, painted maroon.



## Toy Sewing Machine

Regular Price \$3.50

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These well-made Sewing Machines are nicely finished in black enamel with blue trimmings.



## Toy Garage

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Complete with two toy automobiles. One touring car and one roadster.



## Puzzle Blocks

Wood Puzzle Blocks that will make five different pictures, well made; come in a wood box. \$1.75 size, 98c; \$2.75 size, \$1.59; \$3.50 size, \$2.50.



## Paint Boxes

Regular Price \$2.75

Special at \$2.69

Large size, with pictures to paint, 12 different colored paints and mixing trays. \$1.59 Gloria Stanley Set of Paints at 98c.

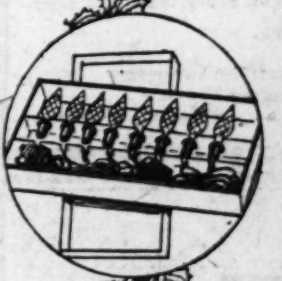


## Board Games

Regular Price 50c

Special at 25c

Five different numbers to select from; very interesting. 25c size for 15c

Christmas Tree  
Lighting Outfits

Regular Price \$1.95


Special at \$1.69

1-light outfits of the unit style with pine cone bulbs.

Toy Shop—Basement



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**Men's Elgin Watch**  
As illustrated—guaranteed dependable, jeweled Elgin movement in a carved, green gold-filled case with fancy dial. Special.  
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**\$75.00 Diamond Ring**  
A brilliant, perfect Diamond in a richly carved 18-k. solid white gold basket mounting—Christmas special. \$75 value.  
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**New White Gold Wrist Watches**  
Just received—newest designs; new rectangular and improved cushion shown in 14-k. fancy white gold-filled cases—priced.  
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## FIGHT WITH E. ST. LOUIS OVER BRIDGE EXPECTED

City to Push Condemnation Preparations Unless Enjoined by East Side City.

Preparations for suits to condemn property necessary for the proposed northeast approach to the municipal bridge will continue unless an injunction is obtained by East St. Louis officials. City Counselor Hald said today.

The East St. Louis City Council yesterday adopted a resolution, introduced by Mayor Stephens, instructing its legal department to take necessary steps to prevent condemnation of the right of way. The resolution directed that Illinois Senators and Congressmen be requested to oppose extension of condemnation rights granted to St. Louis by Congress, which will expire Feb. 18.

Counselor Hald said that he had urged St. Louis officials to seek extension of the condemnation power and that a memorial to Congress, making that request, was before the Board of Aldermen. Hald believes the East St. Louis legal department will make application for a restraining order. This will be defended by St. Louis, he said.

There is nothing St. Louis can do in advance of the filing of some legal action, except to seek extension of the congressional grant. Condemnation of land for the northeast approach is authorized in an ordinance recently passed by the Board of Aldermen over the veto of the Mayor and without approval of the Citizens' Bond Issue Supervisory Committee, although it is a bond issue project.

The East St. Louis resolution declares that construction of a four-mile approach, such as is contemplated, would damage residential and industrial districts of the city. Attention is called to the fact that the present railroad approach to the bridge, completed in 1918, never has been used.

"Movie Mill" Found in Chicago. By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—A "movie star mill" that promised its students it would make them photo play actors and actresses in five weeks for \$50 was uncovered here last night when detectives arrested four men on charges of conspiracy to defraud. Scores of school girls and middle-aged men and women had made payments of \$5 on their tuition, detectives said.

## ANNOUNCEMENT:

MR. KENNETH MYGATT  
Vice-President of the Raymond & Whitcomb Company, will be in St. Louis, at the Hotel Chase, Monday and Tuesday, December 10 and 11, with detailed information about Raymond-Whitcomb

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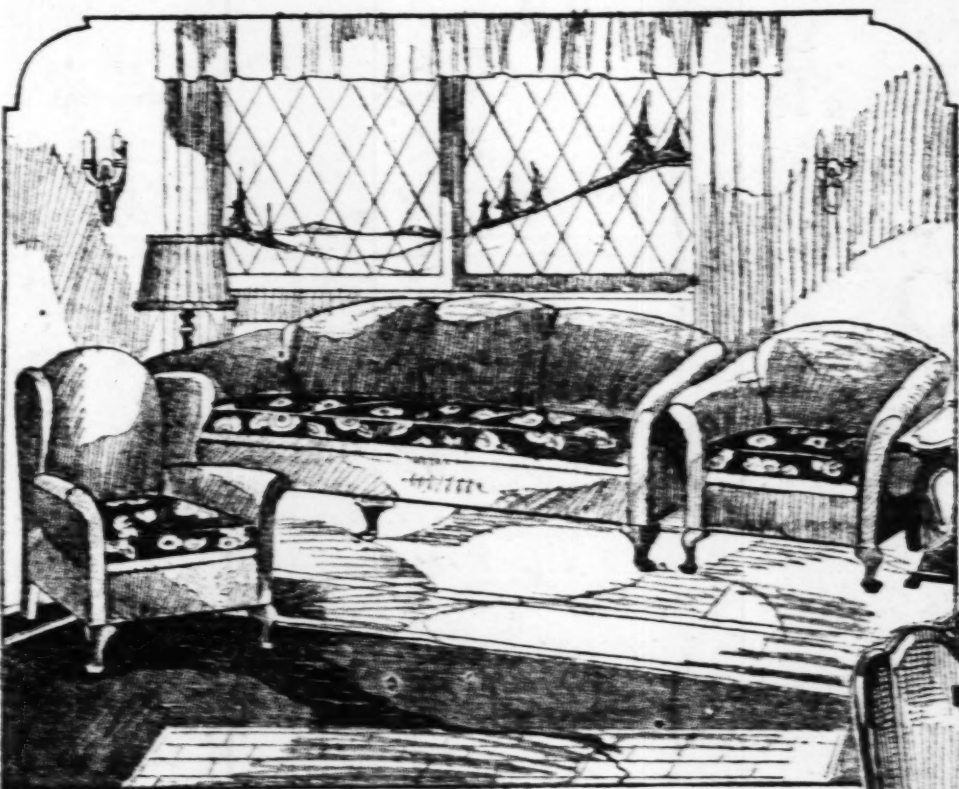
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### Living-Room Suite

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(3 Pieces as Illustrated)

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### Solid Mahogany Chair

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There is always a welcome spot in every home for a comfortable fireside chair of this character. These in either armchair or rocker—of soft antique finished mahogany. Hand-carved back, upholstered in cane, combined with either velour or tapestry.

### Gate-Leg Table,

\$22.50

The quaint charm of a Gate-Leg Table assures it a hearty welcome. These are finished in American walnut and are very well constructed. Attractively priced.

### Sewing Cabinet \$14.75

Martha Washington Sewing Cabinet, built of solid mahogany and finished in the popular English brown. Provided with three large drawers with spool racks and partition for extra thread.

### Tea Wagon, \$12.75

In artistic Queen Anne period and finished in rich English brown mahogany. Has rubber-tired wheels and removable glass tray. A gift that is sure to receive a welcome reception.

### Smoking Cabinet,

\$4.95

Finished in mahogany, equipped with match box holder, glass tray, two cigar rests, also shelf for pipes. Large roomy drawer. Well constructed.

### Stand and Chair,

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Telephone Stand and Chair to match. Finished in mahogany or fumed oak. Has convenient shelf for book, and will harmonize with practically every type of furnishing.

### Spinet Desk, \$29.75

Colonial Spinet Desk is a gift that will delight any woman. These are finished in rich antique mahogany—Duncan Phyfe style. Exceptionally well constructed.

### Tea Wagon, \$27.50

A popular article that is a great convenience. This Tea Wagon is in brown mahogany—Queen Anne design. It has drop sides and removable glass tray. An exceptional value.

### Dining-Room Suite,

\$225

Ten-piece Suite in Tudor period consisting of 56-inch buffet, oblong table, china closet, server, 5 side chairs and one armchair—upholstered in figured tapestry.

### Console Table,

\$19.75

Console Table with mirror lends a room an artistic air. In Queen Anne design. American walnut or brown mahogany.

### Easy Chair Smoker

\$14.75

(As Illustrated)

Among the most popular articles of furniture in the modern home is the end table. Here is a new idea that combines an end table and smoker, and recommends itself for its convenience and decorative qualities. It has all the necessities for a smoker, including a humidifier that has a partition for cigars and cigarettes and a full-length drawer. Exceptional value. (Seventh Floor)

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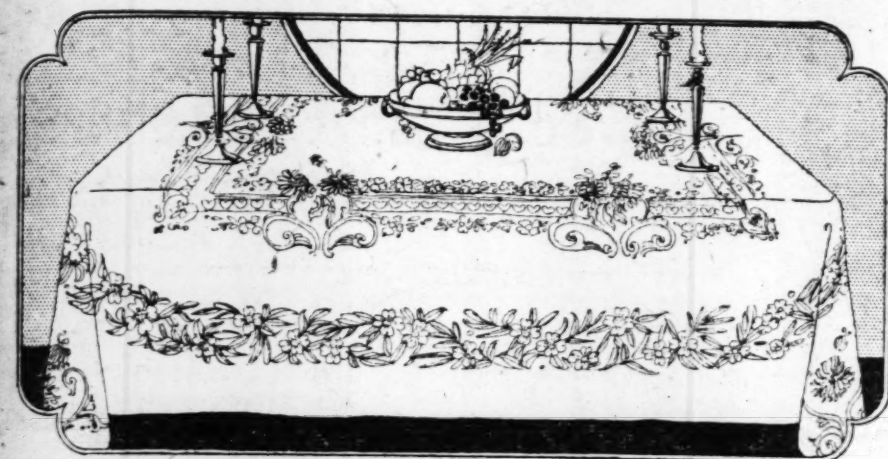
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# STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

See Other Announcements on Pages 5 and 8)

## A Page of Unusual Opportunities for Holiday Shoppers



Special Purchase and Selling of  
**500 All-Linen Tablecloths**  
At **\$6.95**

WE were indeed fortunate in making this special purchase which enables us to offer them at this time at so small a price for Tablecloths of this character. They represent one of the best values that we have been able to present to our patrons for a long time. Coming just in time for Christmas, this sale provides the opportunity of giving a gift that is both beautiful and practical.

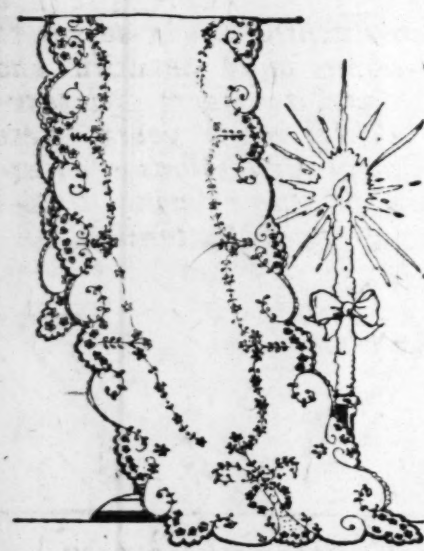
They are made of extra fine bleached satin damask and are shown in several pretty designs similar to illustration. The size, 2x2 1/2 yards is very popular for the new oblong table.

(Second Floor.)

## A Sale Extraordinary!

### Hand-Embroidered Scarfs

An Ideal Christmas Gift



Choice, **\$5.55**

THESE Scarfs are in varied patterns and we offer them at this exceedingly attractive price for Wednesday's selling. We feel sure that when you see them you will be delighted with the fine quality of the material and the loveliness of design. They are made of fine Irish linen and beautifully hand scalloped, finished with hand-eyel embroidery work, combined with hand-cut work. One of these Scarfs in a Christmas box will make an ideal gift at a nominal cost.

(Second Floor.)

## Manufacturer's Surplus Stock of

### Lamb's-Wool Blankets

In a Sale of Extreme Interest

70x80 Size, **\$9.95** Pair

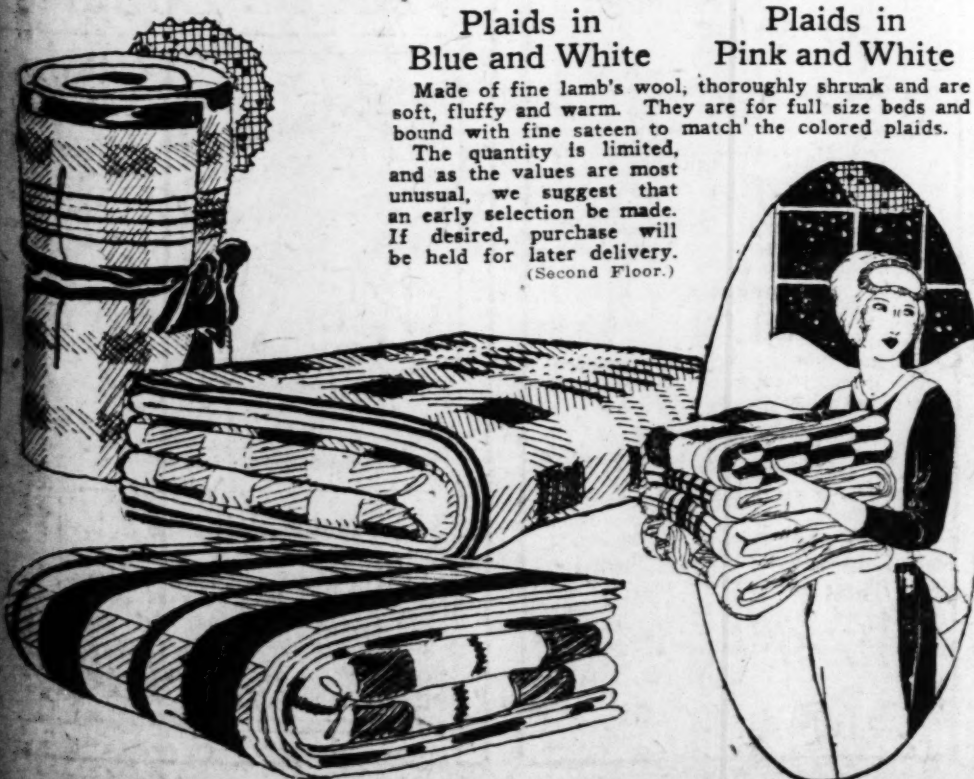
AN advantageous purchase of a manufacturer's surplus stock of fine-quality Wool Blankets provides a selling occasion of unusual interest. The offering is most opportune—for a gift of this kind will be most acceptable to the experienced home maker, a bride or a girl filling her hope chest.

Plaids in Blue and White      Plaids in Pink and White

Made of fine lamb's wool, thoroughly shrunk and are soft, fluffy and warm. They are for full size beds and bound with fine sateen to match the colored plaids.

The quantity is limited, and as the values are most unusual, we suggest that an early selection be made. If desired, purchase will be held for later delivery.

(Second Floor.)



## DOWNSTAIRS STORE

### 40 CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

<p><b>Silk Socks, 65c Pair</b> Men's gauge thread silk socks with fine toes; high-collared heels and toes; all sizes and colors; first quality. Every pair in gift box. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Silk Hosiery, \$1.29 Pair</b> Women's silk hose with lace top, 2-seam back, high-collared heels and toes. All in gray, black, sand, beige. All are first quality. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Boudoir Slippers, \$1.00</b> Of quilted silk with buckskin soles, and contain old rose, lavender, Copenhagen, black and pink. A very appropriate gift. Sizes 4 to 8. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Candlesticks, 50c Pair</b> These are of white metal and are 6 inches high. They are attractive and will make an acceptable gift. Very exceptional at the price. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>4-Pc. Manicure Sets, 59c</b> Our own importation of leatherette covered Manicure Sets. 5-piece set, 60c. 8-piece set, 90c. (Downstairs Store.)</p>
<p><b>Women's Overblouses, \$1</b> Of good quality, dimity with Peter Pan or Tuxedo collars and long sleeves with turn-back cuffs. In all white. Sizes 34 to 40. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Felt Slippers, 85c Pair</b> Women's slippers, in rose, blue, American Beauty, purple and other popular shades; buckskin soles and trimmed with silk ribbon. Sizes 3 to 8. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Silk Shirts, \$5.00</b> Of silk broadcloth with neat stripe, such as tan, blue, helle, black and lavender; exceptionally well made; have double cuffs; all new patterns. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Fitted Cases, \$2.95</b> Men's traveling Cases, fitted with brush, comb, mirror and accessories in leatherette case. Only 75 to offer at this very low price. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Women's Beacon Robes \$4.98</b> Are splendidly tailored, elaborately trimmed with silk ribbon, silk fringe and pockets. Come in various styles and many patterns. Sizes 34 to 40. (Downstairs Store.)</p>
<p><b>Boudoir Caps, 25c to \$1</b> They are shown in many novel styles. Made of satin and are delicately ribbon or lace trimmed. Priced 25c, 50c and \$1.00. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Gown or Chemise, \$1.45</b> Made of finest raincoat and cut especially full. Many new designs of hand-drawn work are shown. Very low at the price. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>3-Piece Knit Sets \$1.50 to \$2.95</b> Some are of mercerized yarn; others of fine sepi; all daintily embroidered. Priced \$1.50, \$1.95 and \$2.95. Offer unusual savings. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Bathrobes, \$1 &amp; \$1.50</b> Boys' and girls' bathrobes in a good variety of patterns. Come in sizes 2 to 6 years and make a very practical Christmas gift. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Cedar Chests, \$12.85</b> Made of the best seasoned Tennessee red cedar, with locked corners, dustproof lid, locks, key, and casters. They are 40 inches long and unequal at the price. (Downstairs Store.)</p>
<p><b>Rainproof Umbrellas \$1.98</b> Men's and women's high-grade rain umbrellas in black only. They have fancy fine handles and sturdy ends. All guaranteed rainproof. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Gauntlets, \$2.45 Pair</b> Women's selected quality, deep skin. Gauntlets with strap wrist, P. K. sewn and fancy attached backs. Come in all sizes; in brown and tan only. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Initial Handkerchiefs 69c Box</b> Men's fine counts full-size initial handkerchiefs; packed 6 in a gift box. All initials included and 1000 boxes to sell at the low price. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Beaded Bags at \$1.00</b> There are 1000 imported Beaded Bags in the drawing style in a wide selection of patterns and colors. Very unusual values at the price. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Earrings and Pendant 95c</b> Grape Earrings and Pendant sets. In jade, lapis, black and red. There are only 300 sets to sell at this exceptionally low price. (Downstairs Store.)</p>
<p><b>Men's Bathrobes, \$3.95</b> Full cut, of beaver cloth and fancy trimmings; silk cord and two pockets. Come in a large assortment of fancy patterns. All sizes. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Men's Broadcloth Shirts, \$3.95</b> Satin striped English broadcloth shirts, full cut and roomy; soft double cuffs and make an ideal Christmas gift. Sizes 14 to 17. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Men's Felt Slippers, 99c Pair</b> Included are khaki, black and Oxford gray; have buckskin soles and padded inner soles. Sizes 6 to 11. An inexpensive Christmas gift. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Men's Knitted Ties, 38c</b> Silk and fiber knitted ties in fancy patterns. All are full length, in the four-in-hand style. Each packed in a Christmas gift box. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Men's Handkerchiefs 25c</b> Fine quality, full-size handkerchiefs of sheer cloth, with 4-inch hemstitched hems and woven fancy borders in blue, tan and beige. (Downstairs Store.)</p>
<p><b>Pettibloomers, 79c</b> Offering 3000 pairs with elastic shirred knees in combination colors of sand, gray, gold, navy, taupe, fawn and other colors. All sizes for women. Seconds. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Leather Handbags \$1.98</b> A selling of 750 in the pouch and flat styles. Over 40 new and smart styles to select from. A special purchase, greatly underpriced. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>White Shirt Patterns \$3.00 Each</b> Beautiful white fiber shirtings in 3-yard lengths. They are in striped and jacquard designs. Each packed in gift box and an Ideal Xmas gift. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Ivory Grain Mirrors 69c</b> They come in the oval boudoir shape of ivory grain. There are only 300 to sell at this low price, so early shopping is advised. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Indestructible Pearls \$1.59</b> Full 24-inch strands of high luster, indestructible artificial pearls. Necklaces in cream and white, with safety catch. 300 to sell at this special price. (Downstairs Store.)</p>
<p><b>Work Baskets, 98c</b> Fancy Reed Work Baskets, with drawing sateen top. They come in the large size and will make exceptional Christmas gifts at small cost. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Men's Gloves, \$1.50 to \$2.25</b> Fur lined, silk lined or unlined. Gloves in tan, cordovan, gray and black. Shown in all sizes and unusual values at the price. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Boxed Handkerchiefs 75c</b> Women's linen handkerchiefs in white and colors, with corner embroidery. Come 3 in a box. 350 boxes to sell at this special price. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Boy Scout Gloves, 79c</b> Small, medium and large sizes; of leather with leatherette gauntlet and fleece lining. Shades of tan and brown and exceptional at the price. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Linen Handkerchiefs \$1.50 Box</b> Men's all-linen handkerchiefs in white, with initial. They come packed 6 in a box and there are 250 boxes to sell at this exceptional price. (Downstairs Store.)</p>
<p><b>Handkerchiefs, 25c</b> Women's imported hand-loom embroidered handkerchiefs, in white and colors. Fine sheer fabrics and linen, beautifully embroidered, 300 dozen at unusual savings. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Imported Work Boxes 39c</b> Children's Work Boxes with bodkin, thumb, etc. These are well made and make a very acceptable gift for the little girl. 600 to sell. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Small Rugs, \$3.59</b> A large array of beautiful patterns in servicable Axminster Rugs. Come in the 27x34-inch size and will make a splendid gift. Very unusual value. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Boys' Hockey Caps, 49c</b> These Caps come in a wide variety of solid colors; also combinations, made of the wide shaker-knit, also narrow knit. All sizes may be had. (Downstairs Store.)</p>	<p><b>Girls' Flannel Middie \$3.95</b> Silk braided, silk smiling and regulation and co-ed style; navy, blue, red and green. Sizes 7 to 14 years. (Downstairs Store.)</p>



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## U. S. ATTACHE REPORTS SUFFERING IN GERMANY

"Children in Poorer Quarters  
Showing Grave Signs of  
Undernourishment."

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The children in the poorer quarters are showing grave signs of distinct undernourishment and generally the situation is one of rapid degeneration.

These are the words with which C. E. Herring, commercial attaché at Berlin, concludes a report on the almost famine conditions that will exist in Germany this winter. After explaining the situation which has led to this, Herring informs the Commerce Department that about 20,000,000 of the workers and professional groups have been brought into the cities and densely populated manufacturing areas.

"The agricultural population, those in smaller towns in the agricultural regions who can barter directly with the farmers, the well-to-do and the more expensive restaurants in the cities are supplied from domestic produce," he says.

"Tourist Often Misled." "The casual tourist is often misled as to the true situation by the fact that meals can easily be secured at prices reasonable according to the American standards, ignoring the fact that the cost of two dinners on the tourist hotel circuit may easily represent more than the weekly wage of a skilled workman."

This official summary of conditions is revealed by the request for information that Representative Hamilton Fish of New York, who is taking a leading part in the proposed plan for food credits to Germany in the present emergency, recently made to Secretary of Commerce Hoover. In reply the Secretary sent Herring's report and a letter endorsing the food credits plan. Hoover wrote:

"Germany is confronted with three major difficulties in her food supply. First, the breakdown in currency has caused a breakdown in the distribution of the last harvest, inasmuch as the farmers will not accept the practically worthless paper money. Second, German merchants are unable to finance the full annual margin of imports necessary to make the usual deficit in domestic production because diminished exports reduce the available supply of foreign exchange, which is also to some extent being hoarded abroad because of economic chaos at home. Third, the widespread unemployment as a result of which millions of the workers in the urban and thickly manufacturing areas are unable to purchase sufficient food even if it were in the market."

Constructive Action. "The most constructive action is the creation of a foreign commercial credit for food supplies, permission for which is now being sought by the German Government. Such a credit operation would not only provide increased imports but through the domestic sale of these imports by the Government it would give more substantial background to the new experimental currency and from such imports the unemployment doles and charitable public feeding can be conducted."

"Such a measure would of course be temporary, for the ultimate solution lies in settlement of political relations, the re-establishment of currency and the rehabilitation of productive industry. This would require time in any event."

## SAYS KLANSMEN PICKED JURORS

Walton Alleges They Controlled Jury That Indicted Him.

By the Associated Press.  
OKLAHOMA CITY, Ok., Dec. 11.—Efforts to prove that he was indicted through a Ku Klux Klan conspiracy were continued here today by former Gov. J. C. Walton at a preliminary hearing. The deposed executive has summoned a number of witnesses whose testimony he will use in support of his motion to quash six indictments charging him with diverting State funds to his own use and preventing an assembly of the State Legislature while in office. The evidence is to be presented in the form of depositions when the motion is heard Dec. 21.

Foremost of the witnesses who testified yesterday was N. C. Jewett, grand dragon of the Ku Klux Klan in Oklahoma. He was questioned by Walton's counsel in an attempt to strengthen the charges in the motion that the jury commissioners, all three of whom are alleged by Walton to be klanmen, used the roster of the local klan to select a majority of names for the jury box from which were drawn the names of the grand jurors who returned the indictments. Jewett asserted there never had been any klan membership lists and that only two of the jury commissioners were members of the organization. He refused to answer questions as to the secret method by which klanmen were recognized by their officers.

Dyeing Gasoline Red Advised.  
By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—A study of the hazards of gasoline, made by the Bureau of Mines, has resulted in the suggestion that all motor gasoline be colored red to guard against its being mistaken for water, kerosene or other colorless liquid products. The bureau has made a number of experiments with a dye and has found that one ounce is sufficient to give a distinct color to 1000 gallons of gasoline, at an approximate cost of 1 cent.

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St. Louis' Greatest Stationery Store  
412-414 N. Sixth St.

## Mugent's

The Store for ALL the People

\$10.95 to \$12.00  
Chiffon Velvet

This gorgeous Chiffon Velvet in the two colors most in demand, dark brown and black. Comes 27 inches wide. Lovely for Christmas gifts. (Main Floor—Nugents.)

## BARGAIN BASEMENT

### Dainty Muslinwear

Special  
\$1.00



An assortment of crisp, new Gowns, Teddies, Blouses and Step-ins in a daintily trimmed with medallions, and lace or ribbon. White and pastel shades. Some sateen bloomers included. (Bargain Basement.)

### Initial Bath Towels

22x44-inch double thread Towels, plain white with Initial Old English initial embroidered in blue. 59c (Bargain Basement.)

### \$5 Bathrobes

Special  
\$3.55



Bathrobes in pretty floral or Indian patterns on light or dark grounds, with satin trimmings on collar and pocket. Long girdle, heavy tassel. (Bargain Basement.)

### \$7.50 Bedspreads

Beautiful satin Marseilles Spreads, scalloped edge, extra large \$5.95 (Bargain Basement.)

### \$3.95 Juvenile Suits

Special  
\$2.95



Boys' all-wool Jersey Tweed and Serge Suits in the popular styles and colors. Sizes 3 to 8. (Bargain Basement.)

### Embroidered Pillowcases

Beautiful embroidered designs, attractive colors of rose, blue \$1.59 and gold. Standard size. (Bargain Basement.)



\$8.95 Two-Piece Suits  
Special  
\$6.55

Boys' Two-Piece Suits in a wonderful assortment of wool mixed materials, in the wanted styles and colors. Sizes 3 to 16. (Bargain Basement.)

### \$2.75 Plaid Blankets

About 20 different colors and plaid; extra heavy single blankets. Extra large size. \$1.95 (Bargain Basement.)

### \$1.95 Full-Fashioned Hosiery

Special  
\$1.29



Women's thread silk, full-fashioned Hosiery; high spliced heel; high toe and heel; hose and garter. Colors, gray, brown, beige, nude and black. All sizes; irregular. (Bargain Basement.)

### Fancy Bath Towels

22x44-inch size, good heavy quality. Beautiful stripe pattern, containing pink and yellow, blue and yellow, etc. 50c (Bargain Basement.)

### Women's and Children's Felt Slippers

\$1.75 and \$2 Values

Women's slippers with ribbons and fur trimmings. Big assortment of colors. Sizes 2 1/2 to 8.



\$1.29 Felt Slippers

1200 pairs of these colored felt bedroom slippers with silk padded soles. Ribbons trimmed. Make nice gifts. 79c

Kiddies' Slippers  
Felt and wool slippers with leather soles. Pom-pom or stamped trimmings. Sizes 3 to 2 1/2. Sale price. 49c (Bargain Basement.)

## A Remarkable Sale of Changeable Taffetas

The most wanted silks in hundreds of changeable colorings.

Everyone's talking about this sale of Taffetas. Thousands of yards are included in this sale in such a variety of changeable colorings full detailing is impossible. The buying is so enthusiastic that we suggest you be prompt. (Main Floor—Nugents.)

## \$3 Handbags

Of Real Leather in Many Styles



Real leather Handbags in a wide variety of styles and leathers. Pouch and envelope style. Every one a pretty Bag that would make a most acceptable Christmas gift. (Main Floor—Nugents.)

## Wrist Watches

Always a Most Welcome Gift



\$10 Watch  
This lovely Wrist Watch, jeweled and adjusted movement, 25-year guaranteed white gold-plated case. Each watch bears the Nugent guarantee. \$6.95

\$16 Watch  
Rectangular shape, beautiful Wrist Watch with jeweled and adjusted movement, 25-year guaranteed white gold-plated case. A watch guaranteed to give you the best of service. \$10.95

\$27.50 Watch  
This exquisite Wrist Watch has 15 jeweled adjusted movement, 25-year guaranteed white gold-plated case. A watch that would make a lovely Christmas gift. \$18.95 (Main Floor—Nugents.)

## Silverware

Immense Christmas Stock

\$3.00 Fruit Basket  
This beautiful silver-plated Fruit Basket comes in the pierced design and is heavily plated to \$1.95

\$4.50 Casserole  
A lovely Christmas gift for Mother. This engraved pure silver-plated Casserole in pierced design. Large handle. Sale price. \$3.55

\$4.00 Bread Tray  
An unusually pretty Bread Tray in heavy silver-plated ware in pierced design. Comes in either satin or polished finish. Sale price. \$2.50 (Main Floor—Nugents.)

\$1.50 Silver Plated Ware  
This assortment includes vases, candlesticks, bonbon dishes, marmalade jars, etc. Very desirable for gifts.

Tableware  
15c  
Vincent pattern of Tableware, including knives, forks, berry spoons, pie knives, meat forks, etc.

\$1.50 to \$2 Dolls  
98c  
Full-jointed Dolls, beautifully dressed, character Dolls with bobbed hair, and cloth-body Dolls with metal heads.

\$1.00 Jewelry  
50c  
Necklaces, bar pins, earrings, cuff links, beauty pins, etc., in a large assortment for Christmas gifts.

Boudoir Caps  
79c  
Unusual values in these heavy silk and crepe Boudoir Caps, trimmed elaborately with laces and ribbons.

\$4 to \$5 Umbrellas  
\$3.50  
Gloria silk, a part silk fabric Umbrellas, some with pretty satin borders. Handles suitable for men or women.

Women's \$3 Handbags  
\$1.85  
Leather Bags in the newest styles and leathers. Pouch and envelope styles. Fitted with coin purse and mirror.

Felt Slippers  
79c  
Women's pretty Moccasins with ribbon trimmings. Soft padded silk soles. Sizes 3 to 8.

Neckties  
\$1.00  
Men's fine rep silk, bias striped Ties in bright color combinations. All have satin slip bands.

Phone Screens  
\$3.49  
Beautiful doll lamp Phone Screens, attractively dressed. Natural hair. Complete with electric attachment.

Console Bowls  
\$1.00  
Large, multi-colored bowl, black iron stand, three-footed. Each.

Artificial Fruit  
10c  
Very natural-looking Fruit: pears, oranges, grapes, bananas, peaches, etc. Each.

Beacon Robes  
Immense Christmas Stocks  
The fine quality Beacon Bathrobes in all the new styles and colors for Winter. Comes in sizes 36 to 44. Well made, full cut garments that will be a comfort for chilly mornings and evenings. Trimmed Lawrence Robes included. Lawrence Robes in extra sizes, 46 to 52 at the same price. (Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

## 5,000 PIECES FINISHED NEEDLE

All of these model pieces were made by experts. The selection now available to be here early tomorrow

\$1.50 Embroidered Finished Pieces	\$3.00 Embroidered Finished Pieces	\$4.00 Embroidered Finished Pieces	\$5.00 Embroidered Finished Pieces	\$10.00 Embroidered Finished Pieces	\$11.00 Embroidered Finished Pieces
HALF PRICE	HALF PRICE	PRICE HALF	PRICE HALF	HALF PRICE	HALF PRICE
75c	\$1.50	\$2.00	\$2.50	\$4.95	\$5.50
Aprons, Guest Towels, Napkins, Blue Tea Towels, Novelties, etc.	Home Dresses, Blouses, Scarfs, etc.	Buffet Sets, Card Table Covers, Aprons, C & P, Bags, etc.	Scarfs, Table Covers, Pillowcases, etc.	Table Covers, Pillowcases, etc.	Table Covers, Pillowcases, etc.

## "Pointex" "Sample" Silk Hosiery

3000 Pairs First Quality "Onyx" and "Pointex" Make \$2.50, \$2.75, \$2.95, \$3.25 and \$3.50 Hosiery

Women know these good makes. They'll buy liberally in this sale for their own use—you can be sure that any selection you make for gifts will be most welcome. Every pair in this extraordinary sale is new and of first quality. There's plenty in all colors including black, white, gunmetal, brown, gray, suede, etc.

You Will Find in This Assortment:  
\$3.50 All-Silk Lace Crotch Hosiery  
\$3.50 All-Silk Plain Hosiery  
\$3.50 Silk Legwear Hosiery  
\$3.25 All-Silk Crotch Hosiery

Christmas Box Free If Requested. Mail Order Filled.

## Bargain Squares

On the Main Floor  
\$3 Boudoir Clocks  
\$1.48

Beautiful Boudoir Clocks with polished brass cases and shell trimmings. Good timekeepers. Six shapes.

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## Handkerchiefs

After's Entire Surplus Stock

Handkerchiefs to 25c

Handkerchiefs to 10c

Handkerchiefs to 125c

Handkerchiefs to 50c

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# FINISHED NEEDLE WORK MODELS

These model pieces were embroidered by experts. The selection now is varied, and are only a few articles of any available to be here early tomorrow morning.

Embroidered Finished Pieces	Embroidered Finished Pieces	Embroidered Finished Pieces	Embroidered Finished Pieces	Embroidered Finished Pieces	Embroidered Finished Pieces
\$4.00	\$5.00	\$10.00	\$11.00	\$13.00	\$21.00
PRICE HALF	PRICE HALF	PRICE HALF	PRICE HALF	PRICE HALF	PRICE HALF
\$2.00	\$2.50	\$4.95	\$5.50	\$6.50	\$10.50

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## These Umbrellas

Will Be Heartily Welcomed

Men's and Women's

This Christmas special brings unusual Umbrellas at this price. Have coverings of the very good "Gloria Cloth" cotton with paragon frames. The women's have ring or leather strap handles and the men's the Prince of Wales and open handles.

\$5.95 Umbrellas

Men's and women's Gloria silk (part silk) covered Umbrellas in many styles of handles. These are a noted maker's "sample" handles.

Some \$10.00 Sun-Rain Umbrellas

For women! Another lot of "Sample" handles. Have silk covers with Ottoman borders and new wood combination handles. Both rings and leather straps.

Special at \$3

\$4.65

\$7.95

(Main Floor—Nugents.)

## Handkerchiefs at Half Price

A Better Entire Surplus Stock; Thousands of 'Kerchiefs—for Gifts

12,000 Handkerchiefs

Worth From 19c to 39c

This wonderful lot includes women's pure linen Handkerchiefs with spoke-stitch borders, solid color linen with net foot-edge. White and solid color linens; elaborate corner and border embroidery, imported English prints and fine linen with colored woven borders.

Each 15c

Initial 'Kerchiefs

Box of 6. Worth \$1.50

Men's good quality cambric with embroidered initial and neatly hemstitched. Not all initials. 95c

Phase Is on Sale, at a Special Booth, on the Second Floor

## Chemise of Silk \$3.95

Dainty Envelope chemise made of quality crepe de chine, silk, lace and rayon silk. Tailored models or lace-trimmed. Fresh, child or peach tones.

(Fourth Floor.)

## Ginghams \$1.95

Ideal gifts are these nicely made, black sateen Aprons, made of a good quality material. Lace, embroidery and braid trimmed. New style pockets and collars.

(Fourth Floor.)

## Sateen Aprons \$1.95

Ideal gifts are these nicely made, black sateen Aprons, made of a good quality material. Lace, embroidery and braid trimmed. New style pockets and collars.

(Fourth Floor.)

## St. Louis' Big Store, 4th and St. Charles

\$7.50 Mama Dolls

Extra large walking and talking Dolls made of exquisite material. Realistic features, real eyes, real hair, etc.

\$15.00 Autos

"Harmon," a big beautiful Packard blue automobile equipped with windshield, lamps, bumper, horn, etc. and rubber-tired.

\$1.39 Railroad Trains

"The Hammer," engine, tender, coach, with circular track, complete.

\$1.19

## Boys' \$5.00 Wool Sweaters

All-wool Sweaters that would make ideal gifts for boys. Slipover style with shawl collars. Plain and combination of colors. Ages 8 to 17 years.

\$3.98

(Second Floor—Nugents.)

# Nugents

The Store for ALL the People

## Little Tots' Coats

On Sale 1/3 Off

Practically Our Entire Stock of Coats for Little Tots Up to 6 Years of Age on Sale in These Three Groups

Lot One \$14.95 Coats

Pretty broadcloth, velour, velvet and chinchilla Coats with trimmings of astrakhan or fur bands, cording and smoking, in a beautiful assortment of styles and in all the wanted colors. All lined and interlined throughout. Ages 1 to 5 years.

Are on Sale at \$9.60

Lot Two \$16.95 Coats

Broadcloth, velour and polaire Coats for the little tots from 1 to 6 years. Fur collars and smoking at the yokes. Some fasten at the side.

\$11.30

Lot Three \$22.50 Coats

Lovely fur-trimmed Coats made of the best quality of chiffron velvet, duvetyn and broadcloth. Hand smoked, full flare models in beautiful pastel shades.

\$15.00

(Fourth Floor—Nugents.)

## English Broadcloth Shirts

\$2.85 Kind

\$2.19

Here's a gift you can be sure will delight your menfolk, for plain white English Broadcloth Shirts are the Winter season's favorite and these are of an exceptional grade. Made negligee style with neckband—some have collars to match.

\$3.85 English Broadcloth Shirts

White, Blue and Tan

Another exceptional offer of English Broadcloth Shirts in the wanted plain colors. Made negligee style.

\$2.95

\$4.85 English Broadcloth Shirts

White, Blue and Tan

As good Shirts of this kind as any man could want. Finely tailored in negligee style.

\$3.95

(Main Floor, Men's Store—Nugents.)

## Men's \$5.95 Bathrobes

Fine for gift lines—the celebrated Beacon and Lawrence blanket Bathrobes in new floral patterns. Well tailored. Choice in small, medium and large sizes.

\$4.95

\$9.75 Blanket Robes

A very big Christmas assortment and a most unusual value. New patterns with cord trimming and heavy cord girdle.

\$7.95

Some \$10.00 to \$12.50 Smoking Jackets

Extraordinary values in Jackets that make ideal gifts. A big assortment from which to choose in all sizes, 36 to 46.

Special \$7.95

(Main Floor, Men's Store—Nugents.)

## \$35 to \$45 Overcoats

A Remarkable Purchase and Sale

And men are buying these Overcoats eagerly, for it takes only a glance to tell that they are most unusual Coats for such a price. They are the popular plaid-back Coats in the wanted browns, tans and grays, and they come in ulster and ulsterette styles. Many have raglan set-in sleeves. All sizes, 33 to 46.

## Two-Trouser Suits

Men's and Young Men's In All Sizes

These two-trouser Suits are also from a recent very special purchase and are very unusually priced. All good Winter-weight materials are shown—worsted, unfinished worsteds and cassimeres—in stripes, checks and plaids. Sizes for men and young men, 34 to 46.

\$29.45

(Main Floor, Men's Store—Nugents.)

## HOOVER FOR RADIO AND AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL

In Annual Report, He Advocates Stabilizing Wireless Service.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—Legislation for revision of the navigation laws, for control of traffic in the air, and for stabilization of radio service were among the recommendations made by Secretary Hoover in the annual report of the Commerce Department. The rapid growth of aircraft and radio transmission, he said, had created a need for administration, development, while the navigation laws, long under scrutiny, require adjustment to increased commercial expansion.

For the department itself, Hoover recommended that Congress follow the general reorganization plan prepared under the Harding administration, and make three administrative groupings to deal respectively with industry, trade and navigation. He likewise urged congressional affirmation of the acts by which President Harding created Alaskan fisheries reserves and suggested relief from Federal taxation for American residents abroad and engaged in furthering American commerce.

Import Surplus Likely.

Much of the report dealt with the special enterprise, in which the Commerce Department has engaged during the year, designed to standardize commodity and material specifications, to collect facts about world agricultural production, and to determine the character of organizations abroad by which it has been charged that American consumers have been threatened with unduly high prices.

In this connection, likewise, the report dealt with the foreign trade situation, and the studies made under Hoover's direction for determining the financial situation of the United States as left by trade balances in "visible" and "invisible" exports and imports. It was noted that during the period under review—the fiscal year 1922-23—commerce in general revived, prices had firmed somewhat, and the nation had experienced prosperity.

"Through the huge export balances of the last few years, we have shifted from a debtor to a creditor nation," said Hoover, "and the theory is now more or less generally accepted that our hitherto normally excess of exports over imports must ultimately shift to an excess of imports, as we have large balances to receive in payment of interest. The gradual reduction of the monthly export excess in 1922, culminating in the spring of 1923 in four consecutive months in which imports were larger than exports, does not necessarily mean that this time has arrived."

Agricultural Situation.

In reviewing business conditions, Hoover declared activity had increased from month to month during the fiscal year. Agricultural production, in some branches at least, had shared the ensuing prosperity to a very limited degree, he continued, because of the failure of prices for their products to hold with general price levels.

"The situation in most branches of agriculture," he continued, "seems to be gradually adjusting itself. The partial recovery in foreign demand for cotton has permitted a higher price for the crop of 1923 than for that of 1922, in spite of an increase of 14 per cent in acreage and an appreciable increase in production. While the prices of hogs have been somewhat lower of late, the relatively high prices of corn, which is chiefly fed to livestock, seem to indicate confidence of cattle and hog raisers in the future. The dairy industry in general is prospering, the demand for dairy products varying more than that for most other agricultural products with general movements of prosperity and depression in industry. As for wheat, which is more dependent on foreign markets than any other agricultural product and which is subject to greatly increased competition from Canada and other foreign countries, it seems necessary gradually to reduce acreage."

The banking situation, Hoover said, was "essentially sound" at the end of the fiscal year, and the continued flow of gold into the United States had kept reserve bank stocks at a high proportion to circulating money. Loans of American capital abroad dwindled. Foreign capital issues in the United States during the year ending June 30, 1923, he estimated to \$395,000,000, while in 1922 the total of such loans was \$932,000,000.

In American security investments abroad during the last year, Hoover pointed out, Latin American countries shared the most heavily, taking \$145,000,000. Canada got about \$109,000,000, while \$58,000,000 went to Europe, about \$45,000,000 to the Far East and \$41,000,000 to American possessions.

## Five Minutes a Day Melts the Fat Away!

Why risk your health with strenuous exercise or ruin your disposition with strict diets? For science has discovered Melto—a cream that gently rubs on the places you wish to reduce—literally melts away the fat!

You can be as slim as you wish to be—and slim wherever you wish to be. You can have a slender, graceful figure, slim arms, shapely ankles, dainty chin, if you spend only five minutes a day with Melto. Not only will it eliminate excess fat but it keeps the skin firm and soft and healthy.

Melto is so easy, so comfortable, so safe to use that you shouldn't let another day go by without using it. It is recommended by thousands of happy women who say that the Melto way is the only sensible way to reduce.

It's absolutely harmless!

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## DOOR-OPENING SIDE CURTAINS

Complete set of door-opening side curtains for Ford with all necessary fittings. Genuine 32-ounce top material.

Ford 5-Door Curtains \$5.95

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## WHEEL CHAINS

30x34 \$3.40

31x4 \$3.85 33x4 \$4.00

32x4 \$4.15 34x4 \$5.10

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2 STORES

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1129 LOCUST ST. 314 N. 6th St.

## CHRISTMAS STATIONERY

BUXTON & SKINNER

FOURTH NEAR OLIVE

## Getting Too Fat? Try This—Reduce

People who don't grow too fat are the fortunate ones. But if you find fat accumulating or already cumbersome, you will be wise to follow this excellent plan, which is endorsed by thousands of people who know how to get slim and stay that way.

For Marmora Prescription Tablets and follow directions. One dollar is the price for the world over. Get them from your druggist or send order direct to Marmora Co., 412 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. By doing this you will be sure from harmful drugs and be able to lose steadily and easily, without starvation diet or tireless exercise.



## 2 DETOUR SIGNS ON COUNTY ROAD MYSTIFY TOURISTS

Different Routes for Traveler Indicated on Map Erected Beside Highway.

Tourists approaching St. Louis on the Manchester road are mystified sometimes by two detour signs at North and South road, east of which, but west of Maplewood, Manchester road is closed while a sewer is being built.

Originally the State Highway Commission erected a map sign about ten feet high, with the closed stretch painted black and the natural detour, via North and South and Clayton roads, in red. Recently a sign of the same sort, with the same color scheme, but considerably smaller, appeared across the road, showing another detour that would take the traveler through Maplewood. The name of the Maplewood Chamber of Commerce is on this sign. The detour is shown south, via North and South road, Shady and Newport avenues, in Webster Groves, and Big Bend road.

Montana Bank Fails to Open. HELENA, Mont., Dec. 11.—The First National Bank of Fergus County, at Lewiston, Mont., failed to open its doors for business yesterday, according to word reaching Helena banks. Although no official statement was issued, it is understood over-extension of credits and a decrease in deposits are the immediate causes of the closure.

### ADVERTISEMENT

## Kellogg's Bran is prepared to do one thing—AND DO IT WELL!

Kellogg's Bran will permanently relieve constipation, mild or chronic. It is scientifically prepared for that purpose. It is ALL BRAN, therefore it has the necessary bulk to assure results. Foods with a small bran content cannot afford permanent relief.

When your physician or friend advises you to eat Kellogg's Bran, you follow on for the purpose of eliminating a dangerous clogging-up and toxic condition of your system. You can't afford to take half-way measures! Think of the lost time and the dangers of illness you are daily dodging!

What you must have is real bran—KELLOGG'S BRAN, and if you will eat it regularly each day you will become a different person within a week or so. Kellogg's Bran, with its natural bulk, sweeps, cleanses and

purifies. It not only gives relief, but it regulates the bowels. Every member of your family should eat it every day—at least two tablespoons; in chronic cases as much with each meal.

Try Kellogg's Bran mixed with a hot cereal, or cook it with hot cereals, adding two tablespoons of Bran for each cereal. Other popular ways are to sprinkle Kellogg's Bran on hot or cold cereals or to eat it as a cereal with hot milk. You can make delicious bakery products with Kellogg's Bran. Recipes on every package.

Kellogg's Bran is not only nationally sold in grocery stores, but can be had in individual packages in first-class hotels and clubs. Ask for it at your restaurant. Be certain to eat Kellogg's Bran daily for health's sake!

Bank of Fergus County. According to its last statement, the bank's capital was \$200,000, surplus \$100,000 and total liabilities \$4,600,000.

**Demand**

**PROTECT Your Doctor and Yourself**

# PHILLIPS' Milk of Magnesia

SAY "PHILLIPS" to your druggist, or you may not get the original Milk of Magnesia prescribed by physicians for 50 years. Refuse imitations of genuine "Phillips"

25-cent bottles, also larger size, contain directions and uses.



# Garland's

St. Louis' Largest Women's Specialty Shop

## Wednesday—A Special Purchase of FURS SACRIFICED

### Long Coats, Sport Coats and Jaquettes

Offered in a Daring Sale Wednesday That Dramatically Cuts the Cost of Fur Garments to You

Values to \$195, for ..... **\$89.50**

To make possible these prices on high-class Furs, we have performed a meritorious feat of merchandising—demonstrating our constant alertness to discover uncommon values and our willingness to exert our purchasing power to make them ours—then YOURS. We only regret that we have not twice the quantity to offer in this sale at

## A Host of Smart Coats and Jaquettes in

FRENCH SEAL (Seal-Dyed Coney)  
BAY SEAL (Seal-Dyed Coney)  
COCOA BROWN CARACUL  
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BLACK CARACUL  
NATURAL KRIMMER  
NATURAL MUSKRAT  
PLATINUM CARACUL

TRIMMINGS show many fashionable collars in self and contrasting Furs—and not a few garments are set off with cuffs—Furs employed being carefully selected skins in Natural Red Fox, Isabella Brown Fox, Sable Fox, Monkey, Hudson Bay Blue Fox, German Fox, Natural and Viatka Squirrel, Slate Fox, Chinchilla Squirrel and Raccoon. All are marvelous examples of finished creations in style, quality and workmanship.



## CHOICE

One-of-a-Kind Coats, Worth to \$595

Individual creations in mole, gun metal, caracul, Jap mink and Hudson seal are featured in a magnificent gown for Wednesday at only **\$389.50**

## CHOICE

Up to \$59.50 Fox Scarfs

A specially selected group of fine quality Fox Scarfs in natural red, gunmetal, black and the rich shades of brown—will be sold Wednesday at a price nothing short of remarkable. **\$38.75**

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## COATS

\$20.00 Fur-Trimmed Models

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200+ garments taken from our regular \$15 to \$25 stock, reduced for quick disposal. Don't wait any longer. Prices will not be any lower even in January. Plenty extra large sizes up to 38.

Dresses Sacrificed

Silk and Cloth Dresses which must be sold as we are overstocked. The values are almost unbelievable. Regard for extra sizes. Every garment up to the minute \$4.98 & \$8.98

Men's 98c Boxed XMAS TIES

About 3000 art silk knitted ties in the largest assortment of patterns and colors we have ever shown. Put up in fancy Xmas boxes. Special, one day only, at **50c**

Boys' All-Wool Sweaters

All pure-wool sweaters in many attractive colors. Big assortment. Wonderful value at **\$2.98**

Men's \$1.50 Union Suits

Winter-weight ribbed union suits. Long length. Union Suits. Size 36 to 46. \$1.50 value. Special, **\$1.29**

Women's \$1.50 Union Suits

Winter-weight ribbed union suits. Long length. Union Suits. Size 36 to 46. \$1.50 value. Special, **98c**

Men's \$6 to \$8 Silk Shirts

Beautiful patterns of ribbed shirts. In colors, white, put up in fancy Xmas boxes. Special, one day only, at **\$4.00**

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Extra long union suits. Ribbed. Union Suits. Size 36 to 46. \$1.50 value. Special, **\$1.29**

Children's Union Suits

Good quality children's ribbed union suits. Union Suits. Size 36 to 46. \$1.50 value. Special, one day only, at **60c**

\$3.50 Costume Velvet

Big lot of good mill lengths from 1 to 5 yards. Vary in color, quality with twisted back, guaranteed fast colors and fast pile. A wonderful bargain. Just received by express. On sale, Main Basement, at a yard **\$1.98**

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WOMEN'S \$3 to \$5 LOW SHOES

Special clean-up sale of high-grade Low Shoes; big variety. See these tomorrow. Most all sizes **\$1.95**

GIRLS' \$3.00 to \$4.00 HIGH SHOES

Entire new lot, many and plain leathers. Many are slippers. Dumpy grades. School and dress styles in the lot; special **\$1.98**

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25c and 75c

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**SURE WAY TO GET RID OF DANDRUFF**

There is one sure way that never fails to remove dandruff completely, and that is to dissolve it. This dandruff is entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, ordinary liquid arven; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all of your dandruff will be gone, and two or three more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and itching of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

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**WEDNESDAY**

A Special Purchase

# 200 C WINTER

Doors Open at 9 A. M.



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**\$1.59 SHEETS**  
A special lot of full size heavy roundthread linens. All perfect quality. Limit four to a customer.  
**\$1.39**  
**\$1.59 Buffet Sets**  
In pink and gold, made of very good quality butcher linen, with extra all around, for set.  
**\$1.25**

**Boxed TIES**  
Knitted Ties in different colors, brown, blue, red, etc.  
**50c**

**Men's \$6 to \$8 Silk Shirts**  
Beautiful patterns of stripes in assorted colors. In crepe and rib silk; put up in fancy boxes; all sizes.  
**\$4.98**  
**Boys' and Girls' Union Suits**  
Extra good value in boys' and girls' ribbed or ribbed Union Suits; ribbed, all sizes. Special.  
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Good quality children's ribbed Union Suits; nearly all sizes; special one-day price.  
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**RUGS**  
Congoletum Rugs, size 8x12; elegant patterns; suitable for every room of the house; subject to mill imperfections. Sell regularly, \$18. Special.  
**\$10.95**  
**Congoletum**  
Genuine Congoletum Floor covering in large variety of patterns. Sells regularly at \$6 to \$10 per square yard. Slight mill irregularities. 8x12.  
**49c**

**Initial Handkerchiefs**  
Quality fine, 6 IN BOX. Full block in corner, 150.  
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Adjustable French plate square mirror, porcelain cup, razor.  
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Beautiful white hemstitched handkerchiefs with color, white embroidered corner; 8 in square.  
**39c**

**Handkerchiefs**  
Fine Japanese handkerchiefs, 4 to 14 in.  
**10c**  
**Blankets**  
200 imported gray Blankets, size 68x76, overcast ends; striped borders, on sale, each.  
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606-08 Washington Av.—Thru to Sixth Street.  
**WEDNESDAY!**  
A Special Purchase and Sale of  
**200 GIRLS' WINTER COATS**  
Values to \$12.50!  
A most unusual sacrifice purchase of girls' velour Coats attractively trimmed with beaverette collars. Colors are blue and brown. Rarely do savings like these present themselves, so be on hand when the doors open.  
Sizes 7 to 14 Years  
**\$5**  
Doors Open at 9 A. M.

**\$100,000 SPENT ON RECEIVERSHIP, CREDITOR SAYS**

Liquidation of Affairs of Equitable Surety Co., Asked for in Petition Filed by Chicago Man.

Objection to continuing the receivership of the Equitable Surety Co. is made in an intervening petition filed today in the Circuit Court by John A. McCormick of Chicago, a contractor, who has a claim of \$30,000. He cites the cost of administration, which to date is said to total \$100,000, and asks that the affairs be liquidated, so that the creditors can be paid off.  
His petition recites that the last report filed, dated May 8, 1930, shows assets of the corporation with an appraised value of nearly \$800,000. These consist of stocks, bonds, cash and other securities. The debts were approximately \$271,000, so there should be ample to pay all creditors in full, McCormick declares. But if the estate is permitted to remain open and the cost of administration, including payment of lawyers' fees, goes on, he expresses the fear that "the money and property will be depleted and dissipated to such an extent general creditors will not receive full payment of their claims."  
Inquiry Asked For.  
The petition is directed against State Superintendent of Insurance Hyde and his deputy, E. H. Benedict. A searching inquiry into the conduct of the receivership is asked for with a view to ordering an immediate payment of dividend to creditors; also that the receiver show cause why the assets should not be disbursed and the business of the estate wound up. The suggestion is made that a reserve fund could be set aside to take care of preferential claims still in dispute.  
Insurance Commissioner Hyde inherited the case from his predecessor, A. L. Harty, who took charge of the Equitable July 12, 1919, on the ground that it was insolvent. Harty was authorized to employ counsel at a retainer of \$250 a month and a clerical force for the office in the Title Guaranty Trust Building at a cost of not to exceed \$1200 a month. He also was authorized to pay rent of \$125 a month and make other necessary disbursements. The law firm of Jourdan, Rascheur & Pierce was retained as counsel. In addition the record shows Robert C. Grier was on Sept. 23, 1919, appointed special commissioner to hear claims. A year ago he obtained an allowance of \$2000 for past services and \$125 a month for service thereafter.  
Report Sought.  
Walter R. May of the law firm of Fordyce, Holliday & White, counsel for the intervenor, said that about 250 creditors are interested in an early settlement of the matter. One of the objects of the petition is to obtain a report from the receiver showing the exact conditions. Mayne said the Insurance Department has not complied with the law which requires a report every three months in such cases.  
McCormick's claim is based on a judgment growing out of the failure of the La Salle Trust &

Savings Bank of Chicago, in which he had deposited contracting funds. The surety company signed a depository bond to protect the deposit but failed to make good the loss. The claim, the petition states, has been declared valid by Commissioner Grier.  
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Piles, Fistula, Hemorrhoids and all Rectal Diseases cured by my Scientific Gentle Method. My Guarantee—Cure or No Pay. No Chloroform. No Danger. No Hospital. No Detention from Business. Call or write today. I will pay you CONSULTATION AND EXAMINATION FREE. FREE BOOK Valuable to Pile Sufferers  
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**BICYCLES**  
Phone Main 1939 For Xmas Values \$27.50 Open Even. Till 9 P. M.  
New 1934 Model IBEK High-grade racers, also men's and boys' bicycles with 26 or 22 inch frames. Spring saddles, coaster brakes, mud guards and rubber pedals. Your old bicycle taken as part payment. Juveniles, \$22.50 to \$35.00. Velocipedes, 24 models, ranging from \$3.50 up.  
Used Bicycles, \$6 to \$15  
Hughie Cycle Co. 209 N. 10th St.

**PUBLIC AUCTION SALE!**  
GORGEOUS DISPLAY  
700 GENUINE ORIENTAL RUGS  
Suite 200, Central National Bank Bldg., Second Floor  
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Thursday, December 13th, 10:30 A. M.  
**BEN J. SELKIRK & SONS**  
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**GIRLS' GINGHAM DRESSES**  
7 to 14 Years.  
A sensible gift. Materials are checks, plaids in solid colors. Attractively trimmed.  
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7 to 12 Years.  
Attractive coat and slip-on models in brushed wool and knitted models. A Christmas gift special.  
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Tomorrow—An Amazing Sale of  
**1,000 DRESSES**  
Comprising a "Hand-Picked" Collection of Especially High-Grade Dresses

Special Christmas Offering of  
**DAINTY UNDERWEAR**  
Envelope Chemises, Step-In Drawers, Camisoles and Gowns. Some in various creases and silks, others in nainsook and novelty cloths. Also glove silk Vests. All colors.  
**\$1.95**  
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Dresses Selling Regularly From \$18.75 to \$27.95  
You will want at least two of these surprising Frocks, for they are not the type that are often collected just for a bargain holiday. Each Dress has actually sold for a great deal more—it is indeed a most unusual opportunity to supply holiday needs. Dresses for all occasions.  
—Velvet —Flannel —Satin —Laces —Poirot Twill —Georgette  
**MATERIALS**  
And other desirable materials

Special Christmas Offering of  
**GIFT UNDERWEAR**  
Envelope Chemise of broadcloth, crepe de chine and radium. Bloomers of broadcloth and radium, lace trimmed and colors.  
Sizes 36 to 44.  
**\$2.95**  
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Special Christmas Offering of  
**STEEL BEADED BAGS**  
Real steel, hand-crocheted Bags in drawstring style. Very unusual values at this price. Come in black and blue.  
**\$7.95**  
Others to \$50.00.  
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Misses' Sizes Women's Sizes

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**RICHELIEU PEARLS**  
Indestructible Pearls of beautiful luster. Guaranteed. Long, short and choker lengths. All grades. Our prices on Pearls are extremely low.  
**\$5.95 to \$50.00**  
Other Grades, \$1.95 Up  
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Special Christmas Offering of  
**CHIFFON HOSIERY**  
All perfect, full-fashioned, with lace tops. Colors are black, gunmetal, nude, mode, taupe, gray, beige, fawn, Autumn and oze.  
**\$1.95**  
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Special Christmas Offering of  
**SATINAY PETTICOATS**  
Petticoats and Bloomers of English Satinay that are difficult to distinguish from real Satin. Various flounce effects. Suit shades, light colors and black.  
**\$1.95**  
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Child's Best Laxative is  
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Harry Mother! Even a bilious, constipated, feverish child loves the pleasant taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation syrup.

**DROPSY TREATED ONE WEEK FREE**  
Short breathing, swelling of feet, legs, ankles, face, hands, arms, chest, abdomen, heart, kidneys, liver, lungs, stomach, intestines, all signs of dropsy, treated by the famous "OILUM DROPSY" remedy. (Established 1895—28 years success in treating Dropsy.)

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GIFTS THAT LAST  
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is everywhere acknowledged as the Christmas Gift supreme and not only lasts forever, but is also a Joy forever; but all Diamonds are not good Diamonds. May we suggest that our good reputation is your assurance that here you will get the best, and nothing but the best.

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Here is an exquisite Diamond Ring, gloriously beautiful, enlarged to illustrate the wonderful detail so magnificently wrought and hand-carved. The style is the very latest, copied from a beautiful platinum ring mounting and represents only one splendid de-luxe design of a group specially made up by us. The Diamond is of special selection intensively brilliant and blue white. The mounting is 18 karat white-gold.

**\$100**  
\$2 Down — \$2 a Week

\$75 Diamond Rings — \$1.50 Down and \$1.50 a Week  
\$50 Diamond Rings — \$1.00 Down and \$1.00 a Week

## Women's Wrist Watches

**\$1.00 Down — \$1.00 a Week**

An excellent Christmas Gift and one that brings "lasting joy." This fashionable Tonneau shape has a 17-j. movement, fitted to an 18-k solid gold engraved case. **\$35**

Higher Priced Wrist Watches on Proportionate Terms

## Men's Watches

There is no better Watch value at \$37.50 than this Illinois, 12-j. Thin Model, has a 17-j. adjusted movement, fitted to a 25-year green gold engraved case. **\$37.50**

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We sell all the nationally advertised Watches such as Illinois, Waltham, Elgin, Hamilton, South Bend ranging in price from \$20 up. On Credit at Cash Prices

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1847 Roger Bros., 26-piece set. **\$22.85**  
Community Plate, 26-piece set. **\$1.75**  
Holmes & Edwards, 26-piece set. **\$1.85**

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## LEADER OF WORLD FLIGHT FLEET NAMED

Maj. F. L. Martin of Chanute Field Will Command Four Airplanes.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.  
RANTOUL, Ill., Dec. 11.—Maj. F. L. Martin, commandant at Chanute Field here for the last two years has been notified that he will be in command of the fleet of four airplanes which will make a flight around the world. The personnel will be selected from fields throughout the United States. The purpose of the flight is to demonstrate the feasibility of aerial communication between continents. The planes will start from Washington for Seattle and leave the latter city April 1. They will follow the Canadian coast northward and the Southern coast of Alaska across the Aleutian Islands, down through the possessions of Japan and thence along the coast of China, touching French Indo-China, Siam and Burma. They will cross India to the Persian Gulf. The flight will take them across Turkey and Europe to England and will terminate at Washington. Foreign aviators have made similar attempts but failed and if the United States fliers are successful it will be a marked achievement in aeronautics. As soon as the personnel is named the men will gather at Langley Field where they will be given courses which will suit them for the trip. Capt. Ralph

Cousins will act as temporary commandant at Chanute Field during Maj. Martin's absence.

## BRITISH COUPLE BARRED

Man Threatened With Mann Act Arrest if He Enters U. S.

By the Associated Press.  
BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Dec. 11.—William Franklin and Miss May Gregory, British citizens, were refused admission from Mexico or permission to cross the United

States to embark at New York for England, by immigration officials here yesterday.

The officials, who said the couple had traveled over the world together, asserted that Franklin would be arrested under the Mann Act if he entered the United States. The couple said they entered Mexico at Vera Cruz and would return to the Mexican port to return to England. Franklin was reported to be a wealthy London business man.

## TRIPLE EAGLE STAMPS

### Wednesday Clothing Bargains

Men's \$20 2-Pants Tweed Suits, **\$10.00** special at

Men's \$30 Two-Tone Overcoats, **\$17.50** special at

Boys' \$8 Heavy Mackinaws, **\$5.00** special at

Boys' \$15 Two-Tone Overcoats, **\$9.50** sizes up to 18

Men's and Boys' All-Wool Sweaters, **\$2.95**

Men's \$4 All-Wool Flannel Shirts, **\$1.75**

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Women's Sizes, 36 to 44  
Stout Sizes, 44 to 54

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 QUININE Tablets. The box  
 bears the signature of E. W.  
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## FAVORS STRONG G. O. P. PLANK AGAINST KLAN

Creager, Texas Committee  
 Member, Urges New Pledge  
 for Personal Freedom.

Post-Dispatch Bureau.  
 24-25 West Bldg.  
 WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—R. B. Creager of Brownsville, Tex., a close personal friend of the late President Harding, whose choice he was for appointment as Ambassador to Mexico, has written to his fellow members of the Republican National Committee, in session here today, a vigorous appeal for a decisive stand by the Republican party against the Ku Klux Klan. The party must take this position, Creager says, if it is to continue to merit the respect and confidence of the public.

Creager expresses the hope that he will be made a member of the Resolutions Committee of the next Republican national convention, in which event, he says, he will urge the adoption of a plank condemning the Ku Klux Klan, its principles and its practices, and pledging the Republican party to principles of tolerance and personal and religious freedom.

## MAN TRYING TO CASH \$4000 CHECK ARRESTED AT BANK

Had Only \$25 in Cash and Worth-  
 less Draft for \$3240 to Ac-  
 count on Arrest.

Detectives, who had been waiting for him several hours, arrested a man known to the Bank as F. L. Mitchell at noon today when he attempted to cash a \$4000 check drawn on himself and bearing what appeared to be the initials "O. K." of one of the bank's vice presidents.

Mitchell, or Nicholas J. Hoffman, as he says his real name is, will be charged, with forgery, as he had only \$25 in cash and a "bad" check for \$3240 in the bank. Hoffman says he came to St. Louis a month ago from Chicago, bringing \$2000 he had made "bootlegging." This he deposited in saving and checking accounts at the bank and, through frequent visits, made his face familiar to the tellers.

Yesterday he deposited in his savings account a check for \$3240 drawn on a Minneapolis bank in his favor and signed with another name. At the same time he withdrew \$1000 from his two accounts, leaving but \$25 to his credit. Bank officials wired Minneapolis about the \$3240 check and were informed that it was worthless. The calling in of the check and the arrest of Hoffman was followed today by Lillian Jones, a paying teller, to honor his \$4000 check on the strength of the \$3240 deposit shown in his savings book and the vice president's O. K.

Detectives say Hoffman has admitted that he practiced writing the initials for hours after obtaining the vice president's O. K. to a check this was good.

## LEGAL FIGHT OVER GOLTRA BARGES WILL BE CONTINUED

Post-Dispatch Bureau.  
 No. 24 West Bldg.  
 WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The legal battle between the War Department of Edward F. Goltra of St. Louis, Democratic national committeeman for Missouri, over the possession of the river fleet seized by the Government from Goltra last spring, has been by no means settled by the United States Supreme Court decision of yesterday. Department of Justice officials in touch with the case pointed out today that this decision related merely to a jurisdictional dispute and did not touch the merits of the case.

The Supreme Court ruled, in an opinion by Justice McKenna, that Judge Paris of the Federal Court at St. Louis had the right to determine the case, which came into his court through injunction proceedings initiated by Goltra.

The case now goes back to Judge Paris, from whose decision the War Department is at liberty to appeal in the regular way.

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Extraordinary  
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**\$14**

Because we were able to purchase this group of 300 new Winter Coats at important concessions, you may select them at a price which means unusual savings. And there are so many fashionable models—plain belted, side button, wrap around, and sports styles—that choice of a becoming one should be an easy matter. All have fur collars of Coney, beaverette or opossum.

Materials employed include wool velour, suedine, plain, plaid or striped polair, and every Coat is excellently made and serviceably lined. Sizes for women and misses.



Wednesday—An Important Sale of Jobbers' Surplus Stocks of

## Curtains and Draperies

—Offering many groups of Lace and Fabric Curtains and beautiful Drapery Materials—kinds suitable for every room, enabling housewives to fill all needs at these extreme savings. Certainly a splendid opportunity to brighten your home for the holiday season.

### \$3.50 and \$3.75 Curtains

Caseement Net Curtains. In attractive figured designs, finished with fringe in beige tint, and suitable for any room; 3 1/2 yards by usual width; pair. **\$2.29**

### \$1.25 Ruffled Curtains

Just 1000 pairs of Curtains made of sheer quality scrim and trimmed with three rows of ruffles and crisp ruffles; tie-backs to match; white only; pair. **85c**

### 50c Curtain Nets

Artificial Nets in open mesh and best figured designs; very ex- **29c**  
 cellent wearing quality; pair.

### Window Shades

Genuine Oil Opaque Shades in green, white and tan; also Duplex Shades in green and white; 24 in. wide and 6 ft. long; good rollers; seconds of \$1.25 and \$1.50 grades; each. **59c**

### \$1 and \$1.25 Curtains

Figured Jacquard, marquisette and fancy values for the making of caseement curtains; ivory tint; yard. **65c**

### \$2.50 to \$3.95 Draperies

Fiber Drapery Fabrics in striped, plain or figured patterns; desirable for door and window drap-  
 eries; 50-in. wide; yard. **\$1.45**

### 39c & 45c Cretonnes

Light and dark grounds and many very attractive patterns; a quality ideal for draperies, pillows, etc.; yard. **25c**

### 25c Curtain Swiss

White Curtain Swiss with pretty colored designs; washes excellently and is suitable for mesh or long curtains; yard. **16c**

### \$4.50 Fringed Curtains

A group of 400 pairs only; Curtains of figured net, in the popular beige tint and finished at bottom with 2-inch bullion or thread fringe; very durable; pair. **\$2.98**

### \$4 to \$5 Lace Curtains

American-made Lace Curtains in filet and Scotch weaves; plain or figured centers with scalloped borders or lace edged effects; in ivory and beige; pair. **\$2.95**

### \$2.25 and \$2.50 Curtains

Nottingham and Scotch weaves lace Curtains in white or beige; 2 1/2 yards long and full width; pair. **\$1.79**

### \$1.50 Bouvelle Drapery

Yard-wide velvet finished Drapery in beautiful figured designs; may be used reversibly; yard **79c**

### \$3 Curtains

Of mercerized marquisette in white only; trimmed with lace insertion and edging; pair. **\$1.55**

## An Unusual Offer of Women's Silk Hosiery

\$2.50 Values, Pair

Full-fashioned all-silk or silk with lace tops; high spliced heels and reinforced feet; in black and colors. **\$1.55**

### Women's Hose

Irreg. of \$1.25 & \$1.35 Grades, Pr. **68c**

Se mi-fa shioned thread silk, silk-and-wool or cotton-and-wool Hose in black, white and colors.

### Men's Hose

30c to 44c Values, Pr. **25c**

Men's seamless heather Hose with ribbed tops and reinforced feet. Box of 6 pairs. **\$1.40**

### Men's Hose

38c to \$1.52c Values, Pr. **52c**

All-wool, silk-and-wool and cotton-and-wool Hose in light, medium and heavy weights.

### Men's Hose

Special, the Pair. **15c**

Seamless cotton Hose with double heels and toes; black and colors. Seconds of 20c grade. Box of 6 pairs. **85c**

## Crepe Kimonos

\$2.95 to \$3.95 Values

**\$2.49**

Very pretty Kimonos of serpentine crepe in floral designs or plain colors; made in high-waisted or straight-line styles and attractively trimmed; sizes 24 to 46.

### \$3.95 Slips

Women's tailored Princess Slips of plain black silk with self stripes; sizes 24 to 46. **\$2.49**

### \$2.85 Petticoats

Women's Petticoats of silk jersey with fancy pleated corners and fitted waist. **\$1.95**

### \$1.50 and \$1.95 Bloomers

Ankle or knee length Bloomers of English warp satin; double cuffs and reinforced waist; regular and extra sizes. **\$1.25**

### \$3.85 Bloomers

Women's silk jersey, rayon silk or satin Bloomers with fitted waists and fancy cuffs; good assortment of colors. **\$2.95**

## \$2.25 Linen Damask

Offered Wednesday, the Yard

**\$1.66**

Pure Linen of a serviceable, heavy quality, full bleached and with "Beifast" finish; many attractive floral patterns; 78 inches wide; lengths of 2 and 2 1/2 yards.

### Toweling

20c Values, **25c**  
 Pure linen 2 1/2 yd. bleached Toweling, also checked styles; 17 inches wide.

### Bath Sets

Special, **\$5**  
 Large Bath Rug, two large Towels and two wash cloths; colored borders; in gift box.

### Satinette

The Value, **49c**  
 Remnants of Cotton Charmeuse and Satinette in popular colors; 28 inches wide.

### Table Sets

Special, **\$6.75**  
 13 linen damasked Breakfast Sets, consisting of 18 1/2-inch cloth and six napkins.

### Ginghams

The Value, **20c**  
 Amoskeag Ginghams in new 32s. 40/2s. checks, plaids, etc.; 36-inch widths; 22 inches wide.

### Protectors

Seconds of **\$1.93**  
 12 1/2 x 12 1/2 in. size, hemmed and quilted ready for use.

## \$5 Umbrellas

Special Wednesday at

**\$3.98**

Women's silk and linen Umbrellas with white or amber tips and tops; in navy, green, purple and black; guaranteed rain-proof.

## \$1.50 & \$1.95 Shirts

Remarkably Priced at

**\$1.00**

Men's negligee shirts in checkered style with soft turn-back cuffs; fancy stripes and plain colors; many excellent wearing, fast-color cloths. Sizes 14 to 18.

There Are Many Reasons Why  
 You Should Place One of These

## Brunswick Phonographs In Your Home This Christmas

—bringing unlimited joy and entertainment, an accompaniment for dancing and the musical atmosphere which every home should have.

Once you appreciate what a storehouse of musical treasures a Brunswick is you will want to possess one—and in many styles and at widely ranging prices may you choose them in our Music Salon, with expert service to aid you.

### Style No. 210

—Illustrated at the right

**\$150**

An artistic upright model with all the Brunswick features and obtainable in walnut or brown and red mahogany finish. With splendid record filing capacity.

### Brunswick Style No. 212

—Illustrated to the left and priced at

**\$200**

Another upright Brunswick that is attractively designed and equipped with all the special Brunswick features. In Adam brown, mahogany or walnut finish and with good space for filing records.

## Tudor Console Model

—Shown to the right.

Priced at.....  
**\$250**

A Period style Brunswick that is exceedingly popular, possessing all the features that make for the well-known excellent Brunswick reproduction — finished in two-tone American walnut or brown or red mahogany.

All Brunswicks on Terms, If Desired.

For a Superb Gift Instrument Select

## A Schumann Grand

—Very excellent and priced

**\$750 and \$895**

Beautiful "Grands" that are built to improve with the years — embodying the highest standards of Piano construction and built like a violin, their present sweet tones growing even more mellow.

Highly artistic designing makes the Schumann "Grand" fit to grace the most luxurious home.

Schumann Upright, Grand and Reproducing Pianos sold here exclusively—and on terms, if desired.

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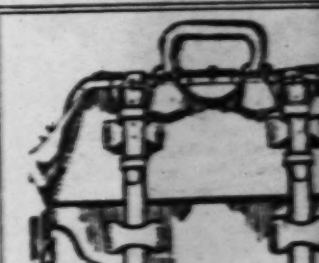
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**\$2 Cash**  
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Many Will Win  
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Several Thousand Pieces  
 This remarkable offer just before the holiday would advantageously sell gracefully designed and which would be appreciated



Wednesday—A Re  
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Very Special  
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18-inch Traveling Bags of leather lined throughout, and straps. A very popular appearance and superior in every practical remembrance opportunity.  
 20-inch Bags, same style





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Come to Fairland  
Santa, Himself, Is Here  
The kiddies will enjoy "Fair-  
land" and to those who have a  
25c check Santa will present a  
fascinating surprise package.  
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## Curtains and Drapery Fabrics

An Important Pre-Holiday Event Offers Extreme Savings in Beautiful

—Kinds You Will Want for Your Own Home or to Present as Gifts

A glance at these offerings will reveal to housewives that here are values worthy of immediate inspection, and certainly no better time to fit your home with new Curtains could be found than just before the season of Christmas festivities.



Drapery Velour  
\$3.50 Val., \$2.29  
Yard

A handsome deep-ple Velour in the rich tones in demand for door or window hangings—blue, mulberry, taupe, brown, black and green. 50 inches wide and also desirable for table runners, cushions, etc. No phone, mail or C. O. D. orders.

Drapery Fabrics  
\$3.75 Val., \$2.25  
Yard

Lustrous fiber Fabrics in all the most wanted plain colorings; will fashion beautiful and very serviceable door or window draperies. 50 inches wide. Equally appropriate for living room, dining room or bedroom win- drow treatments. Limited quantity.

Drapery Pongee  
75c Val., 54c  
Yard

In this remarkable offering are over 2000 yards of excellent quality silk-mixed Pongee in the natural ecru tint, and 36 inches wide. In great demand for draperies for every room, because of its effectiveness and splen- did wearing qualities.

\$6 to \$8 Arabian Curtains

Handmade Arabian lace Curtains of very good quality and in attractive patterns; all are somewhat soiled from handling and display; pair, \$3.85

New Casement Curtains

Printed Curtains of an attractive and very popular type, excellently made in a variety of effective de- signs, and finished with novelty fringes; special, pair, \$4.85

Curtains  
Special, \$1.65  
Pair

Dainty Curtains of serv- iceable crossbar marqui- sette, neatly made and fin- ished with full ruffles and for bedroom or nursery tie-backs to match.

Curtains  
Special, \$1.95  
Pair

Serviceable marquiseette Curtains in white, ivory and beige tints; finished with edgings of excellent quality lace. Appropriate for many rooms.

Sateen  
Seconds of 85c Grade, 45c  
Yard

50-inch drapery Sateen of a quality desirable for the lining of portieres, or over- draperies. Subject to occa- sional imperfections. Limit- ed quantity.

Silk Fringes  
50c Val., 39c  
Yard

2-inch bullion style Silk Fringes, of very lustrous quality, and in colorings to match those in the drapery fabrics mentioned in these groups; limited lot.

Fifth Floor



Many Will Wish to Take Advantage of This Exceptional Wednesday Offering of

## Hand-Cut Crystal Glassware

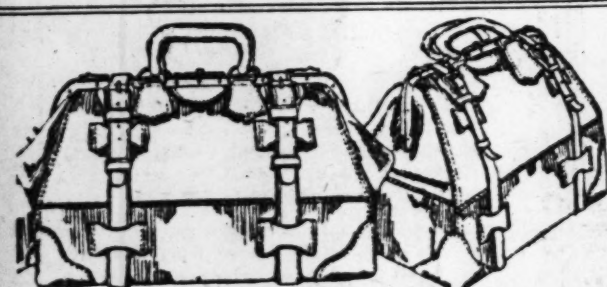
Several Thousand Pieces—\$1.50 to \$3.50 Values—Specially Priced at...

This remarkable offering of beautiful Crystal Glassware, coming as it does just before the holiday season, will certainly be welcomed by those who would advantageously select acceptable Christmas presents. Each piece is gracefully designed and attractively hand cut—practical, yet attractive gifts which would be appreciated anew each time they were used.

\$1.00

Included are fruit bowls, high-footed, large-size compotes, sugar and cream sets, syrup jars, vases, handled sandwiches trays, cheese and cracker dishes and more than a dozen other kinds of pieces.

Fifth Floor



Wednesday—A Remarkable Offer of  
Overland Bags

Very Special \$10.75  
at

15-inch Traveling Bags of smooth finished cowhide leath- er, leather lined throughout, and fitted with sewed corners and straps. A very popular type of luggage, so smart in appearance and superior in workmanship, that many seek- ing practical remembrances will be quick to share this op- portunity.

20-inch Bags, same style, special, \$11.75

Sixth Floor

Weather Prophets

Unusual Value at... 35c

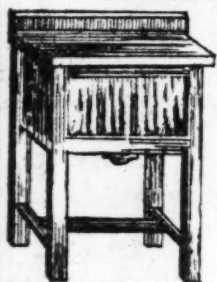


Swiss cottage style Weather Prophets ornamented with pine cones, and two small figures. Predicts weather changes 5 to 24 hours in advance.

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## A Special Offer of Electric Desk Machines

Made by the New Home Sewing Machine Co.

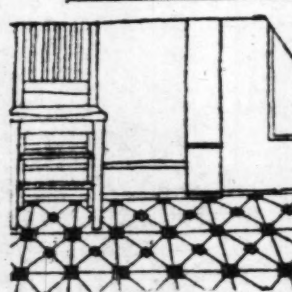


\$95 Value... \$68.50

Electric, console, desk-style Sewing Ma- chines which are not only efficient but pleasing pieces of furniture as well. Equip- ped with a removable, electric "See-Seam" light. Handsome woodwork. May be obtained on our deferred payment plan, if desired.

Sixth Floor

## Wednesday—An Unusual Offering of Inlaid Linoleum



\$1.60 Value, \$1.34  
Sq. Yard

Many will undoubtedly wel- come this offering of high- grade, inlaid Linoleum. Offer- ed in a wide variety of hardwood, tile, mosaic and block designs suitable for kitchens, bath and dining rooms or stores.

Linoleum  
Special, 97c  
Sq. Yd.

Genuine cork Linoleum in heavy enameled finish, 4 yards wide, which will cover aver- age-sized rooms without a seam.

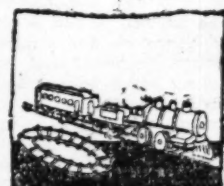
Linoleum  
\$1.45 Value,  
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Heavy, durable, Inlaid Lin- oleum in a broad assortment of pleasing hardwood, tile and carpet patterns, and wanted colors.

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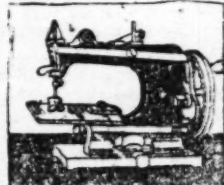
## Parents Will Welcome the Unusual Opportunity Afforded by Wednesday's Offering of Playthings at a Saving

Select Early—Quantities Limited.



\$2.98 Mechanical Trains, \$1.98

For boys and girls; with engine, tender, 5 cars, 10-piece track.



\$2.25 Sewing Machines, \$1.69

Toy Machines that will really sew, with needle and thread.

Wagons  
\$4.75 Value, \$3.59

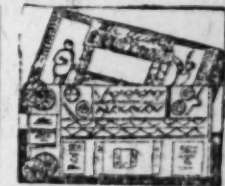
Coaster Wagons made of hardwood; rubber-tired, disc wheels. Junior size.

Tables  
\$1.95 Value, \$1.45

Folding-style Tea Tables made of excel- lent lumber and in nat- ural finish.

Scooters  
\$7.95 Value, \$2.98

Sidewalk scooters made of high-grade lumber; rubber-tired wheels, padded seat.



\$10 Erector Sets, \$7.50

Erector Machine Sets with equipment to build a machine shop.



\$5 Mama Dolls, \$3.98

"Effanbee" Dolls that can walk; construction head, arms and legs.

Games of Many Kinds

Wednesday at Savings of 1/4

Including Bagatelle Boards, Tintown Zoo, Fairy Tale Lotto and others. Also Sewing Boxes.

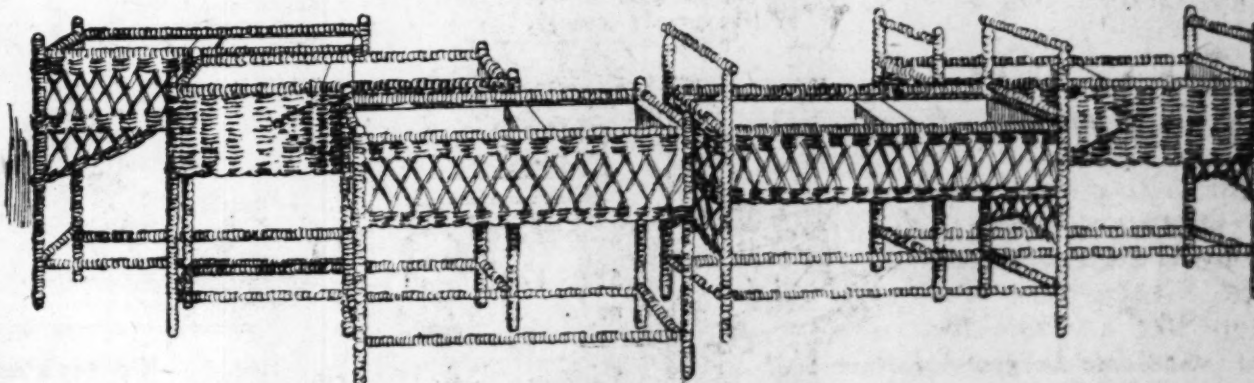
\$4.50 Blackboards, easel... \$3.98  
\$6 Kiddie Pedal Cars... \$4.95  
\$6.75 Sleds, flexible... \$2.25  
\$6.25 Velocipedes... \$3.45  
\$9.95 Mama Dolls, dressed... \$2.45  
\$7.95 Doll Cabs, fiber... \$3.95  
\$16.95 Doll Cabs, colors... \$12.98  
\$2.25 Mama Dolls, dressed... \$2.69  
\$2.25 Mechanical Trains... \$1.59  
\$1.19 Cereal Sets, 16 pcs... 79c  
\$17.50 Movie Machines... \$13.50  
\$1.00 Spelling Boards... 59c  
\$1.35 Pianos... 95c

\$14.95 Phonographs, motor... \$9.95  
\$3.98 Teddy Bears, plush... \$2.98  
75c Garages, 1 auto... 59c  
\$1.25 Paint Sets... 95c  
\$1.25 Chime Metalphones... 95c  
\$2.45 Horses, on platform... \$1.95  
98c Teddy Bears, plush... 75c  
\$1.75 Iron Toys, in variety... \$1.39  
\$2.35 Humpty Dumpty Circus... \$1.79  
\$3.50 Drawing Masters... \$2.98  
\$1.49 Locomotives, metal... \$1.10  
Street Cars, of metal... 85c

Character Dolls—With Moving Eyes  
\$1.75 Val. \$1.95 Val. \$2.98 Val. \$3.50 Val. \$3.95 Val.  
\$1.39 \$1.49 \$1.98 \$2.45 \$2.95

Jointed Dolls—With Bisque Head  
\$2.95 Val. \$3.98 Val. \$4.50 Val. \$4.95 Val. \$6.95 Val.  
\$1.89 \$2.95 \$3.19 \$3.75 \$4.95

Basement Gallery



A Wednesday Event of Great Interest to Christmas Shoppers—This

## Sale of Fiber Ferneries

\$7.50 Value—Remarkably Offered at...

The timeliness of this sale intensifies the importance of its value-giving, and many Christmas shoppers will be pleased with the opportunity to select such unusual and acceptable gifts at savings so extraordinary. The attractive design and finish of these Ferneries make them very decorative, and they are carefully and substantially built.

The illustration shows the five styles in this group, all full size, finely woven and fitted with a metal lining. Choice of blue and gold, frosted gray, India ivory, frosted brown or "blootan," an attractive bluish tan shade.

\$5.45

Sixth Floor



## Christmas Favors

—in New Favor Section

Many are the novelties we show to make your Christmas festivities more joyous—expensive decorations and favors that you will like.

Sixth Floor



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## FAMOUS-BARR CO.

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted.

Largest Distributors of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri and the West

## Fur Repairing

—Remodeling and Making

Our Custom Fur Shop is prepared to repair, remodel or make to order any fur garment so that you may have it for Christmas.

Seventh Floor



You Should Not Overlook the Pre-Holiday Frock Opportunity in

## Our Unusual Dress Sale

\$35 to \$59.75 Values, Special at....

These are the latest street, afternoon, dinner and evening frocks from several of New York's leading makers—the modes are extremely smart and you will at once realize that this is a most extraordinary offering. Sizes 14 to 52½ bust measure.

Frocks of velvet, Lorraine, satin, Georgette, Poirer Tulle, crepe satin, Canton, crepe de chine, chiffon and lace and satin combinations—in the most desirable shades.

Fourth Floor

# \$24.50

A Practical Gift for a Man Is One of These Winter

## Overcoats

And During This Special Sale You Can Secure

\$38, \$42 and \$45 Values at

# \$33

By selecting one of these splendid Overcoats, your good judgment will be appreciated—and your gift will render long and useful service. The styles, fabrics and colors are all so very desirable that no woman need hesitate in making selection. But should you prefer masculine assent in the choice you make why not break the good news of your gift intentions a few days earlier and together choose the Coat tomorrow?

In the broad assortments especially featured at \$33 are large, comfortable Ulsters, Ulsterettes, single and double breasted models and Coats with belts and without belts—well tailored and nicely finished—all sizes for men and young men.

Second Floor



## Wednesday Is "Baby Day" in Our Infants' Shop, When We Offer Many Dainty Gifts for Babies

—the Following Groups Being Very Specially Priced—

Gifts for Wee Ones may be chosen in our Infants' Shop to remarkable advantage. The following articles especially acceptable for gifts are offered tomorrow at savings which many will appreciate.

## Silk Coats

\$15 and \$18 Values,

\$12.85

Hand-made, smoked Coats of white, pink or blue crepe de chine; Bishop style with embroidered ruffles on collar and cuffs. Sizes 6 months to 2 years.

## \$2 Crib Blankets

Large size, pink and blue fleecy Blankets—with white figures and finished with wide banding. Each in box.

\$1.69

\$3.95 Japanese Robes  
Infants' hand-tufted Robes in carriage size; in pink and blue and exquisitely embroidered. Very dainty gifts.

\$2.95

## Short Frocks

\$4.95 Value, at

\$3.95

Very attractive smocked with dainty dresses with pink and blue embroidery on collar and cuffs. Ideal for gifts and in sizes 1 and 2 years.

Third Floor



## Unusual Gift Choice in Women's Novelty 2-Piece Pajamas

—in Two Remarkably Special Groups

\$10.95 to \$12.95 Values... \$9.95 \$13.95 to \$16.50 Values... \$12.95

At \$9.95 are Pajamas of Florentine flowered silks in slipover coat style—some of natural pongee with elaborate hand-embroidered designs; also Pajamas of silk-mixed cloths and mannish pongee effects with silk frogs.

At \$12.95 are slipover coat styles of crepe de chine in pastel shades trimmed with lace; also Florentine Silk Pajamas in solid colors with flowered silk trimming and button fastenings.

Third Floor



## Give to Women Silk Hose

\$2.95 Val. at \$2.50

## \$2.75 Chiffon Hose

Black and colored Chiffon Silk Hose with silk garter tops and soles. All sizes. Special \$1.95

## Children's Hose

All-wool knicker Hose in plain colors and d. heather mixtures; fancy cuff tops. All sizes. \$1 and \$1.25 values... 75c

Main Floor

## New and Canning Rag Dolls—

Raggie Nobody

That Can Be Washed and Ironed

59c Value at 29c

Quaint Rag Dolls complete, made and stamped ready for embroidering. Dolls which can be washed and ironed and thus kept fresh and clean—a gift sure to delight the kiddies.

Six Styles—illustrated. Each packed in an individual envelope.

Third Floor



## Women's and Misses' Very Smart Novelty Gauntlets

—in three feature groups at

\$2.50 \$3.95 \$4.95

Imported kid and suede Gloves of celebrated make—in a variety of embroidered, beaded and cut-out effects. Gifts that are ever welcome.

In many fancy cuff designs and approved a 1-ery as well as black and attractive combinations of shades.

Main Floor



## A Special Purchase Brings This Gift Opportunity in \$10 to \$25 French Fans

Special Wednesday... \$6.95

Gorgeous French Fans which women and misses would delight in receiving on Christmas day. Many styles, shapes and colors, scarcely two alike and in pastel and bright hues as well as black and white.

Fans of Chantilly and other laces—sequin-trimmed gauze Fans and hand-painted effects—with artificial shell, amber, ivory or hand-carved wooden sticks.

Main Floor



## Wednesday—We Offer a Special Group of 2400 Men's Practical Shirts

\$2.50 and \$3 Values for... \$1.95

Included are soiesette Shirts, in collar-attached and neckband styles; also neckband Shirts of whipcords, fiber-striped Russian cords and woven madras. Plain white and neat stripes in lot. All sizes.



## Men's Gloves

\$3.50 and \$4.50 Values

Special \$2.35

Profit by this offering and save on practical Christmas gifts. Wool and leather gauntlets and fur-lined fabric gloves. A large variety of shades and all sizes in lot.

## Pajamas

\$2.50 and \$3 Values

Special \$1.88

Men's Denim or woven madras Pajamas—with or without frogs—all neatly made and of a grade that will give splendid service. All sizes in lot.

## Nightshirts

\$1.50 and \$2 Values

Special \$1.29

Men's simple nightshirts of Denim, muslin or cambric—specially made garments. Sizes 15, 16 and 17 in lot, so be sure to supply your needs.

## Editorial Page Daily Cartoon

### PART TWO

## HARDING LED THE WAY TO PEACE, COOLIDGE SAYS

President, in Address Broadcast Throughout Country, Eulogizes His Predecessor in Office.

### "CAUGHT EAR OF WAR-TIRED WORLD"

Tribute Paid to Late Executive for His Love of Fellow Men, Patience and Calm Courage.

By the Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—President Harding was eulogized by his successor in office, Calvin Coolidge, in an address broadcast by radio, as one eminently fitted "to serve a distracted world in a difficult period of its history."

The President spoke in his study at the White House last night and his address, one of the features of the nation-wide observance of Harding Memorial week, was carried to the farthest parts of the country. Exceptional facilities for broadcasting were provided as all broadcasting stations were requested by the Department of Commerce to remain silent during the time Mr. Coolidge spoke.

Mr. Coolidge began his address with a reference to Leigh Hunt's poem, "About Ben Adhem," in which an angel writes the name of him who loves his fellow man at the head of the list of "Those who love the Lord."

"I will be hard to find a better picture than this of President Harding," said Mr. Coolidge after uttering a verse of the poem. "He loved his fellow men, and because they felt it and knew it, they loved and trusted him. His whole life from the knees of that cherished mother who had an inspired faith in him, down to the day when a screaming world laid its tribute at his feet, was a continuing testimony to his devotion to them and to their faith in him."

"Some will say that such a sweet and gentle nature could only have been his setting and his opportunity for service in a strange and peculiar time. Perhaps they are right. Yet he came to the world's stage in an hour when it seemed set for other characters. The Canaries and the Kings, the armies and the navies, the men who would have war and the men who would have peace, had long dominated the scene. Where among them would place be made, could ear be heard for this kindly, gentle, gracious soul?"

"Found His Place." "Yet he found his place. He sought the ear of a war-tired world. He called our country back to paths of peace and gladly it came. He beckoned the nations to come and sit in counsel. He pointed them the way to peace. He set example of readiness to cast away the sword from the arm of might. He sought for men and nations a peace—the only true and lasting peace—based on justice and right. He stood first and firm for his own country, then for mankind. His generosity and frankness won to his side those who sensed the great truth of human brotherhood. So he led the way to the monumental accomplishments of the Washington conference on limitation of armaments."

"The same simplicity and directness marked his program in domestic affairs. He was the steady, unflinching hand of guidance and helplessness. It was never the slightest flint of compulsion. He knew that the greatest need of the world was peace, with industry and production. He asked for those who will to make good the lesson that had been inflicted in the years of strife. He called his countrymen to set an example of those humble virtues, and they did. He gave without remorse of his own strength, down to the tragic end, the same above understanding and misrepresentation, but he was constantly incapable of hard feeling toward those who were untrue to him. In a time when the pride of many men were prone to swell upon, he called them to take back and dared to take his time, and thought before deciding. He was free from the pride of position, but strong in the determination of conviction. He had that calm courage which overcame the overpowered, but that was firm and that when decision had been reached."

Leadership Forward.

"He was criticized because he was country, under his leadership, did not move forward as fast as was wished. But when worn out by the struggle he had on country, he laid down the burden, his country was clearly what his leadership had accomplished. They saw that it had been a leadership for-











## LORD SHAUGHNESSY, RAILROAD BUILDER, DIES

Head of Canadian Pacific Was  
Born in Milwaukee—His  
Career Spectacular.

MONTREAL, Dec. 11.—Lord Shaughnessy, chairman of the board of directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway, died yesterday in his seventeenth year. He became ill Sunday. Death was due to heart disease and complications. He was born in Milwaukee.

Lord Shaughnessy was taken ill when attending the opening of a Knights of Columbus hall here. His condition was immediately realized to be serious and his family gathered. Lady Shaughnessy, his wife, William J. Shaughnessy, and members of the family were at the bedside.

The funeral will be held Thursday at St. Patrick's Church. Plans throughout the city were at half-mast today.

### Was Dominating Figure in Canadian Railroad Building.

Lord Shaughnessy, or Thomas George Shaughnessy, first Baron of Mount and Ashford, County Limerick, Ireland, was born in Milwaukee, Wis., on Oct. 6, 1853. He attended the public schools of his native city and entered the employ of the Chicago Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway when 16 years old.

In 1872, when eating a meal in a restaurant, he attracted the attention of Sir William Van Horne, then collecting a staff for the infant Canadian Pacific Railway, and was engaged as general purchasing agent. He was made assistant to the President in 1889, a vice-president and director in 1891, and became president of the company in 1893, retiring to become chairman of the board of directors in 1918. He was knighted in 1919.

He was commander of the Victoria Order in 1907 and raised to the peerage in 1916.

During his regime as president of the Canadian Pacific it grew to be one of the greatest single transportation systems by land and water in the world. It poured out \$600,000,000 on the development of the Canadian West and its shipping facilities to the railway. In 1901 its capital stock was \$65,000,000, and when he left the presidency it was \$120,000,000.

### His Methods Daring.

Lord Shaughnessy's characteristics have been described as "boldness, quick decision and courage." His methods were frequently spectacular and daring. In the course of a conversation with Sir William Van Horne, in the early part of the century, the latter, referring to the Canadian Pacific and the West, said: "We have built the hopper, but we want the stout." Shaughnessy decided there should be two stouts. Almost overnight he arranged for the purchase of the old Canadian Pacific, the old Beaver lines, amounting to 15 in all, and set up the system whereby huge numbers of immigrants were secured and transported from England and Europe to Canada to work on the Canadian Pacific.

One of the outstanding figures in the World War, Lord Shaughnessy's advice was frequently asked and followed by the Canadian and Imperial Governments. Upon the outbreak of the war, he placed the whole resources of the railroad, ships and shops at the disposal of the allies, while he threw himself heartily into the work of recruiting in Montreal. His two sons, his heir, W. J. Shaughnessy, and his second son, A. J. Shaughnessy, went to the front and the latter was killed in France.

Although a keen student of politics, Lord Shaughnessy could never be persuaded to enter public life. He was offered numerous offices, but always said he was a railway man and that "the height of my ambition has been reached." Once he was mentioned for the Lordship of Shaftesbury in 1911 he was a pronounced opponent of the British Empire.

### Was Racing Fan.

Lord Shaughnessy's experiences as an owner of a racing stable were not altogether happy. When racing was booming in Montreal and with the sole object of encouraging the breeding of thoroughbreds in the province of Quebec, he imported a mare named "Silk Horse." She was finished last and once she was placed behind the grand stand at the Bonaventure. She was the property of the Grand Trunk Railway, which Shaughnessy had bought. "That's a fast one you have Shaughnessy," he "Tee," laughingly replied the "Horse" as fast as a Grand Trunk train.

"Horse," however, had a colt, named "Bird," which turned out to be one of the best thoroughbreds ever bred in Quebec. He won practically all the races he entered in, including the King's Plate at Blue Bonnets in 1916.

Lord Shaughnessy was associated as a director in a wide range of enterprises. He was on the directorate of the Canadian Pacific Railway, the Bank of Montreal, Royal Trust Co., Trans-Canada Theaters Limited. He was a fellow of the Royal Canadian Institute, a governor of the University of Montreal, and a member of the Montreal Jockey Club. He married in 1880 Miss Elizabeth Nagle of Milwaukee. His heir is Hon. W. J. Shaughnessy. The Baron and Ba-

## CANADIAN PEER WHO IS DEAD



LORD SHAUGHNESSY.

Shaughnessy had three daughters, the Hon. Mrs. H. W. Beaulieu, the Hon. Mrs. Rene Redmont and the Hon. Marguerite Shaughnessy.

## MORE THAN EIGHTY COOLIDGE CLUBS FORMED IN CALIFORNIA

One Is Organized in County Where Senator Johnson Was Born.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Dec. 11.—Supporters of President Coolidge in his campaign for the Republican presidential nomination yesterday started what they declared to be a State-wide movement in California for their candidate with the formation of the Republican League of Sacramento County in this city, where Senator Hiram W. Johnson was born.

Eighty-two similar organizations have been formed in California, and many others will be listed after a State meeting of Coolidge followers in San Francisco tomorrow. State Treasurer Charles G. Johnson told league members.

Republicans in attendance at the organization meeting of the league, which started with a membership of 168 voters, were emphatic in their declarations that California would send a delegation to the national convention pledged to Coolidge.

Formation of the league followed organization a week ago of a "Johnson-for-President" club, sponsored by the Sacramento County Central Committee, which Coolidge followers assert is controlled by Johnson supporters.

### Steamship Movements.

By the Associated Press.  
Arrived.  
New York, Dec. 10, Cleveland, from Hamburg.  
New York, Dec. 10, Muenchen, from Bremen.  
Southampton, Dec. 8, Albert Ballin, New York.  
Liverpool, Dec. 10, Samara, New York.  
New York, Dec. 11, Majestic, from Southampton.  
Shanghai, Dec. 9, President Jefferson, Tacoma.  
Sailed.  
Hamburg, Dec. 10, Canopic, for New York.

## CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL FUND REACHES \$636

Spirit of Fellowship Marks  
Opening of Drive to Provide  
a Santa for the Poor.

CONTRIBUTIONS.  
Previously acknowledged \$579.00  
Henry W. Peters, 13th and Washington ..... 25.00  
Salesmen, Real Silk Hosiery Mills ..... 12.65  
Col. A. T. Perkins ..... 10.00  
E. H. ..... 3.00  
Talcott Hendon ..... 2.00  
H. Mackoway, 2904 Locust ..... 1.00  
H. O. Stater ..... 1.00  
Cash ..... 50  
Robert Wood McGilway 6145 Bartmer av. .... 25  
Total ..... \$636.40

With Christmas only 14 days away, there are many homes in St. Louis where parents are being forced by financial circumstances to tell their children that Santa Claus will not be able to visit them this year. But childish faith in the spirit of Christmas persists. Perhaps somehow, in some way, they insist, Santa will see that they are not empty-handed this year, and pathetic pleas, written in childish scrawls are already finding their way to the headquarters of the Post-Dispatch Christmas Festival Association.

Even the Postoffice Department was a bit nonplussed though when Small Katie mailed her request, sans stamp, and addressed rather illegibly to Santa Claus, but her letter eventually reached its destination and the doll for which she asked will be delivered to her on Christmas morning, when 12,000 other boys and girls will also receive their toys and gifts at the Christmas Festival annually given at the Coliseum. And afterwards there will be a Christmas dinner at Katie's home, made possible by one of the baskets distributed through the medium of the Christmas Festival Association.

Although the distribution of festival lists commenced only yesterday, the spirit of honest, human friendship and fellowship in St. Louis is being displayed by a number of contributions made early in response to the request. Among these was a check for \$12.65 from salesmen of the Real Silk Hosiery Mills, who made a collection for the fund at their banquet, Dec. 8, and gave it to Capt. A. Gray for delivery to the Post-Dispatch.

Robert Wood McGilway of 6145 Bartmer avenue, although an invalid, has always been one of the most loyal supporters of the Christmas work. He sent 25 cents, saying: "If all others do as much, there will be little suffering among the unfortunates this Christmas."

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## Social News

### LUNCHEON HOSTESS



MRS. FRANCIS H. LUDINGTON.

AN afternoon reception which will occupy an important place on today's calendar is that to be given by Mrs. James Thomas Pettus at her home, 41 Kingsbury place, in honor of her niece, Miss Matilda Moulton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moulton. The house will be decorated with pink roses and ferns, and a group of Miss Moulton's friends will serve, including Mrs. Alfred W. Brown, Mrs. David Nelson Burruss Jr. and Miss Willa Dyer, Jane Rule, Doris O'Neill, Elizabeth Hubbell, Marydelle Woods and Carolyn Matthews. Mrs. Moulton will receive with her daughter and Mrs. Pettus. The honor guest will wear a gown of gold cloth and carry an arm bouquet of roses. Miss Moulton is planning to go abroad later in the winter to study. Her course at Vassar College was interrupted because of illness. Mr. and Mrs. Pettus, their children and Mrs. Pettus' sister, Miss Watkins, will depart Saturday to spend the winter in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pett Warren have sent out invitations for a tea dance the afternoon of Friday, Dec. 28, at the St. Louis Country Club for Mrs. Warren's young daughter, Miss Lenore Scullin. Mr. and Mrs. Warren and Miss Scullin, who make their home in Washington, D. C., will spend the holidays in St. Louis and will be at Hotel Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Haley of 4815 Argyle place; Mr. and Mrs. John R. Scott of 4842 McPherson avenue and Mr. and Mrs. John S. Leahy of 4630 Lindell boulevard have sent out invitations for a dance the evening of Friday, Dec. 28, at Hotel Chase, for their daughters, Misses Mary Louise Scott and Leahy. The guests were Misses Elizabeth Smith, sister of the debutante; Mary O'Fallon, Marie Carr Taylor, Trilbie Habitzelle, Katherine Steedman, Lucy Terry, Margaret Caradine, Mary Christy Tiffany, Emily Shepley, Katherine Sipple, Louise Bemis, Judith Dana, Janet Lee Collins, Mary Virginia Collins and Mrs. William Francis Dickson and Mrs. William S. Ford, sister of the hostess.

The holidays from Mount Vernon Seminary at Washington.

Invitation have been received by the graduating class of the Visitation Academy to a luncheon bridge Dec. 27 to be given by Miss Cecelia Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Smith Jr. of 5172 Raymond avenue. George R. Smith III will return home Dec. 20 from Western Military Academy to spend the holidays with his parents.

The following young women will return to St. Louis from Wellesley College to spend the holidays with their parents: Miss Marion Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Wilson of 14 Windermere place; Miss Catherine Pennington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Meritt Pennington of 5430 Cabanne avenue; Miss Florence Caspari, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Charles E. Caspari of 6921 Kingsbury boulevard, and

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### Gouraud's Oriental Cream

Miss Berenice Lightner, niece of Mrs. Calvin Lightner, will leave St. Louis today for her home in South Dakota. Her marriage to Lawrence Tyler Bow will take place quietly in March in Rockford, Ill., where the bride-elect spends much of her time.

Miss Grace Switzer, daughter of Mrs. Roland W. Switzer of 5256 Westminster place is among the St. Louis group of girls returning for

Miss Elizabeth Wearen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Wearen of 7056 Waterman avenue.

Mrs. Lewis Maginnis of 5940 Woodland place, and Mrs. C. J. Ginterman will entertain the St. Louis Alumnae Club of Mu Phi Epsilon at a musicale this afternoon at the Maginnis home.

Mrs. Charles Galloway of Magnolia avenue will give a tea Thursday afternoon, Dec. 27 for her daughter, Miss Dorothy, and Miss Sallie Hews Phillips, daughter of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Z. B. Phillips of Philadelphia, who will come to St. Louis for the holidays. Two hundred and fifty of the younger set are expected to attend, and later in the evening the young women invited to serve, and a corresponding number of men will remain for supper and dancing.

The engagement of Miss Marjory D. Nichols, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Nichols of 2919 Victor street, and Harry C. Zapp, son of Mrs. Anna Zapp of 3311 Halliday avenue, was announced at a luncheon given recently by the prospective bride.

Announcement has been made of the wedding of Miss Olive Christophel of 3524 Junata street, and David J. Rochford, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Rochford, of South Grand boulevard. The couple are spending their honeymoon in New York and Buffalo, N. Y., and will make their home in St. Louis.

The Lindell Hall School for Girls will give a hour Friday, from 1 to 6 o'clock. The proceeds will be used by the students to refurbish the living room of the hall. Dr. Donald MacDonald will give his regular drawing-room lecture Friday morning.

### BRITISH AGAIN OBJECT TO U. S. BATTLESHIP CHARGES

Admiralty Says Denby Proposals Controversial Naval Limitation Treaty.

LONDON, Dec. 11.—Secretary Denby's proposal to increase the gun elevation on United States battleships meets the same objections by the British Admiralty as when first suggested months ago. It was then turned down by President Harding. Then, as now, naval authorities here contended the change would violate that section of the Washington naval limitation treaty which says: "No alterations in side-arm, in caliber, number of general type of mounting or main armament shall be permitted."

It is admitted here that there may be grounds for difference of opinion over interpretation of this passage. Meanwhile there is little likelihood that this Government will take any action over Denby's recommendation, unless it is translated into legislation. In that event, the Admiralty might ask the Foreign Office to take up the matter with the State Department at Washington. Commenting on Denby's request for more cruisers, naval circles here say England needs more cruisers than the United States, to protect her trade routes.

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By Telegram to the Post-Dispatch.  
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Oil produced in the United States can be sold for a billion dollars' additional annual revenue to the industry, declared Henry L. Doherty, New York, president of the Cities Service Co. and of Henry L. Doherty & Co., bankers and operators of public utility corporations, in an address at the American Petroleum Institute, at Hotel Statler today.

How to accomplish this was Doherty's answer to the problem of the sudden great overproduction of oil, particularly in California, which has seen the price of crude drop from \$4 to \$5 a barrel to less than \$1.

The oil industry must realize Doherty said, that to meet the fluctuations of production and prices, it must put on a sales campaign, and spend money. "The subject was 'The Utilization of Petroleum Products,' and was the main address of the first general session of the three-day meeting which has brought together heads and representatives of Standard, Sinclair, Marland and a host of smaller oil producing and marketing concerns. 'Duty to Prevent Devastation.'"

"It is our duty to prevent the devastation of the oil resources of this country to the best of our ability," he declared, "and when we have done this, then it is up to us to sell whatever oil must come on the market, be that amount much or little, to the customer who can pay the best price."

We are cursed primarily by the fact that the rules for property ownership are different in the production end of the oil business than in any other business in the world and are likened only to the rules relating to the ownership of wild animals and birds. "This makes it impossible for us to have vast bodies of oil resources located and large bodies of it blocked out that can be drawn upon as the market demands it. The location of an oil pool means under present conditions that it must immediately be forced upon the market, whether the market can take it or not. If there is no market for other mineral products, they can be left in the ground. This is not true with oil."

Doherty declared more than 1,000,000 barrels of oil were being burned every day, much of which is sold for purposes for which coal, more or less abundant, would be equally available; and this million barrels offers the elastic factor, which, he declared, warrants development of all the superior uses of oil where it has a greater value over other forms of fuel.


Urges Larger Expenditures.

The petroleum industry spends next to nothing in developing new fields for use of oil, Doherty said, citing that a suggested appropriation of \$100,000 a year, or one-hundredth of 1 per cent of the estimated increased revenue of a billion dollars, met with discouragement. If the oil industry, he added, would spend what the gas companies spend to increase their market the expenditure would exceed \$10,000,000. He mentioned that one cement organization spent \$3,000,000 last year and would expend \$5,000,000 this year.

"Our industry is periodically threatened with bankruptcy for lack of ability to sell the oil produced," he continued, "and yet the total quantity of oil produced is puny in comparison with the total fuel needs of the country. For every dollar that the entire oil industry has ever expended in its entire history for developing the utilization of oil there probably has been spent in the past year more money by manufacturers on the development of house-heating burners than the entire expenditures for all purposes by the oil industry in its 60 years of existence."

House heating and ship and locomotive propulsion offer the most fertile fields of expanded oil utilization, Doherty enumerated, and he urged these recommendations: Blocking out of oil pools to be drawn on as market is available; stimulate development of all possible demonstrated application for oil utilization; support and encouragement to inventors and manufacturers of oil-burning apparatus, and the industry as a whole to contribute and co-operate to develop the uses for oil, as the individual companies, for competitive reasons, are not warranted in doing.

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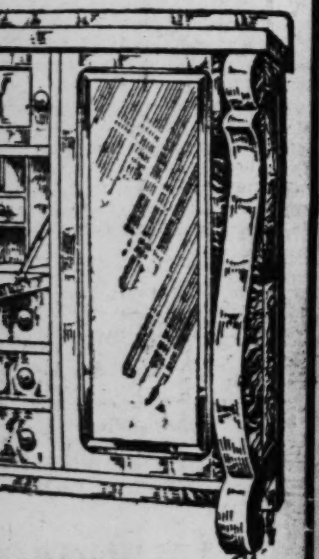
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## MARKETS--SPORTS

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"We are certain that there can be built by our city a market as absolutely sanitary in construction and so pleasing in appearance as to make our citizens open their eyes in pleasant surprise. The further we went with our investigation the more we became impressed with the fact that we have an unusual opportunity at the site of our present Union Market.

"The ground value there is too high to warrant its use on the ground level only, simply for market purposes. We are convinced that one or more stories should be added for automobile parking, and if this were done we see no reason why the roof could not be made sufficiently strong to provide addi-

tional parking space. A rough calculation indicates that about 500 machines could be parked on each floor above the market at one time, and of course from time to time during the day a much greater number would be accommodated. An opportunity to furnish parking space for 1000 customers in the market is worthy of deep consideration and an opportunity to take 1000 marked automobiles off the streets should not be overlooked.

"We feel sure the additional construction cost will not be great in proportion to the benefits derived. In fact, we believe that if handled as a business proposition with very reasonable charges, this automobile space could be made to earn enough revenue to carry the interest charges in the additional in-

vestment and provide at least part of the sinking fund for retirement of the bonds. We, therefore, strongly urge that a way be found to provide parking space above the market.

San Francisco Market.

"By way of comparison, we call attention to a very large private market in San Francisco. Here the building is of the cheapest type of construction, with no pretense to architectural merit, but there is available on adjoining vacant property parking space for a large number of machines. The manager of the market states that as many as 11,000 machines are parked there in a single day. The market does a big business and the manager attributes a large part of the success

to the parking facilities afforded customers.

"The markets in Cleveland afford an interesting study. They are about 14 in number, some publicly owned and some privately owned. One public market is housed in a very expensive building; some other markets are little better than our old Union Market. Some private markets are models of construction and operation."

Chairman Kuhs said the committee had been delighted to hear while on tour that a special committee of the Board of Aldermen had approved the Memorial Plaza site for the new Courthouse to be built under a \$4,000,000 bond issue item. The committee visited a number of municipal auditoriums and plazas, of some of which complete plans were obtained, as well

as reports on operation methods. The report says:

"The grouping of public buildings, as proposed in our own Memorial Plaza, is being planned."

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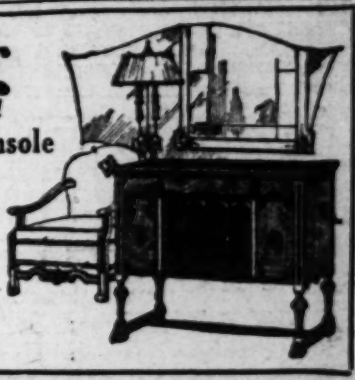
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## ALDERMEN BACK FROM TRIP WITH IDEAS FOR BOND PROJECTS

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worked out in many large cities. It is evident from what we have seen that these cities that scatter their public buildings about are not as attractive, and lack a distinctive feature to indicate to the visitor something of the spirit of the place, or rather, it leaves in the mind of the visitor some doubt as to whether there is a united citizenship working for the common good.

"On the other hand, a city gains tremendously by the effective grouping of its public buildings around an open space; the visitor feels instinctively that he is viewing an expression of the character of the people in the place, and he goes away with the lasting impression that he has been in one of the great American cities. The inclusion in the group of a convention auditorium which brings the visitor right into the civic center is an advantage too important to be overlooked. In fact, it is evident that the greater the number of buildings included in the group, the more imposing is the result.

Instances Cited.

"For this reason, these cities which have made progress along this line have included Federal buildings, as in Cleveland, and State buildings, as in San Francisco; while in Denver the State

Capitol is an impressive part of the picture.

"Milwaukee has plans for a very effective grouping of buildings, placing a courthouse on a commanding place on a hill. Land is now being acquired for this group. Los Angeles is also planning a civic group to give expression to the wonderful spirit of that city. The civic group in San Francisco is a revelation and an inspiration. Some buildings remain to be added but enough is there to present a complete picture.

"The impressive feature of the San Francisco group is the harmonious architectural treatment of the whole, and the effect is truly wonderful. The central feature in this group is a city hall which exceeds in beauty most of the State Capitols of the United States. The lesson gained from studying the San Francisco group is that we in St. Louis must not group together a number of buildings each of which may be good but different from the rest, but that the entire plan and surrounding buildings must be designed as a harmonious whole.

"Nothing must be permitted to stop the completion of this Memorial Plaza group of buildings at the earliest practicable date in such a manner that every St. Louisan may feel a glow of justifiable pride when the visitor views the plan with wonder and says, 'So this is St. Louis!'

The report refers to Cleveland's new \$1,150,000 auditorium, to which smaller halls are being added, which embodies features St.

Louis may well copy, but it is stated that the virtually square construction proposed for the St. Louis building should enable provision of more facilities at less cost than in Cleveland. The St. Louis auditorium is planned to occupy a large area, with Fourteenth and Market streets as the main or northeast corner.

Other Auditoriums.

The Milwaukee auditorium is referred to as thoroughly practicable and acoustical difficulties in the

San Francisco hall are mentioned. The whole investigation showed a wish that more storage and exhibit space had been provided in the existing auditoriums. Other cities felt that the advantage St. Louis will have in a railroad track that can be laid into the ground floor of the auditorium will be worth while. The committee's conclusion, considering St. Louis reputation as a convention city, is that "no mistake be made by providing any feature too small or inadequate."

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## WIDOW KILLED BY AUTO, 143D DEATH OF KIND THIS YEAR

Mrs. Sarah Alberts Run Down Short Distance From Home at 4802A Washington Boulevard.

The fatal injury of Mrs. Sarah Alberts, 47 years old, a widow, of 4802A Washington boulevard, by an automobile near her home at 5:25 p. m. yesterday, brought the total of automobile fatalities in St. Louis this year to 143, against 128 deaths for the same period last year.

Mrs. Alberts was crossing Washington boulevard, several doors from her home, when struck by an automobile driven east by Mrs. Effie Rice, 19, a negro, of 3947A Finney avenue.

City Detective Joseph Wren, a witness, took Mrs. Alberts to the nearby office of a physician, where she was pronounced dead from a skull fracture. When arrested Mrs. Rice, who is being held for the coroner, she was driving about 20 miles an hour, Wren said, and skidded about 40 feet after striking Mrs. Alberts. Mrs. Alberts lived with her daughter, Miss Pauline Alberts. Burial will be at Cairo, Ill., Mrs. Alberts' former home.

Woman, Visiting in East St. Louis, Killed by Auto.

Miss Anna Stone, 35, of Brighton, Ill., died at St. Mary's Hospital, East St. Louis, at 9:30 p. m. yesterday from a skull fracture and internal injuries suffered three hours earlier when struck by an automobile in front of 625 North Thirty-second street, East St. Louis. After striking Miss Stone the driver of the machine sped away and has not been arrested. John Knoerzer of 629 North Thirty-second street told policemen he had just left his home when he heard a crash in the center of the street and noticed an automobile being driven rapidly north. Upon investigating he found Miss Stone lying in the street. Miss Stone was visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Kohlmeier, 527 North Thirty-second street. An inquest will be held today.

Motor Cycle Hits Man, Injuring Him and Girl Riding on It.

Claude Blackmore, 42, a motor man, living at 3127 N. 2nd street, suffered lacerations of the head and possible internal injuries at 11 p. m. yesterday, when struck by a motor cycle being driven north on Virginia avenue, at N. 2nd street, by Myron Brown, 18, of 2840 Lemp avenue. Miss Gladys Jones, 19, of 3545 Laclede avenue, who was riding with Brown, was cut and bruised. Brown was arrested and charged with felonious wounding.

Mrs. Mary Balling of 3934 Park boulevard, suffered a fracture of the nose at 2:15 p. m. when an automobile driven by her daughter, Evelyn, 18 years old, collided with another machine, at Euclid and Northland avenues.

Wild Ducks Killed by Hard Roads. By Associated Press. ARCOLA, Ill., Dec. 11.—Hard roads are a menace to migratory wild ducks, according to farmers living here, who assert that at least 100 ducks were killed recently.

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Including LITTLE QUEEN make, Children's High and Low Shoes—Brown Bear, Patent, Pearl Elk, Stylish and sturdy School or Dress Shoes. Broken lines, closing out at, pair, \$2.38

Lot 3—Other Sensational Values at \$1.88

Lot 5—Boys' Oxfords and Shoes, broken lines. Values to \$6.00 **\$3.88**

Lot 4—Other Sensational Values at \$2.88

Lot 6—Growing Girls' High and Low Shoes. Broken lines. Values to \$7.50 **\$3.88**

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As thrilling in every way as last week's Record-Making Sale, when many women were disappointed who came late and found the selection almost depleted. But not this time! Another wonderful lot of Coats was secured that duplicates to the letter the sensational event of last Thursday!

**\$45.00 Fur-Trimmed Coats**  
**\$39.75 Fur-Trimmed Coats**  
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Many Beautifully Embroidered and Tailored Models!

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\$3.00 Jointed Doll... \$1.40  
\$5.00 10-inch Jointed Doll... \$2.90  
\$1.00 Kitchen Cabinet... 90c  
\$3.00 Kitchen Cabinet... \$1.90  
\$2.00 Toy Trunk... \$1.30  
\$4.00 Toy Cedar Chest... \$2.40  
\$2.00 Oak Rocker... \$1.40  
\$4.00 Oak Rocker... \$2.40  
\$5.00 Reed Rocker... \$3.00  
\$4.00 24-inch Teddy Bear... \$2.40

**SPECIALS FOR BOYS**  
The Tanktop... 40c  
\$2.00 Toy Chest... \$1.10  
\$4.00 Toy Chest... \$2.40  
\$2.00 Circus Car... 90c  
\$3.75 Wagon Blocks... 90c  
\$3.00 Roller Skates... \$1.90  
\$7.00 Moving Picture Machine... \$4.40  
\$2.00 Rubber Footballs... 90c  
\$4.00 Soccer Footballs... \$2.40  
\$5.00 Baby Bicycle... \$3.40  
\$2.50 Mechanical Train... \$1.50

**COASTER WAGONS**  
\$7.95 \$7.50 Auto... \$5.95 Disc Wheels—Rubber Tires  
\$13.95 \$12.50 Auto... \$11.95 \$10.50 Wagon... \$8.95  
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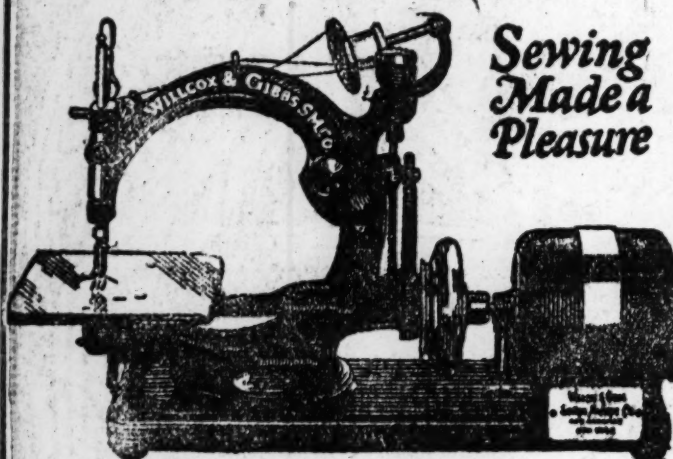
## KILLS HUSBAND AT BREAKFAST

New York Woman Declares He Had Threatened to Divorce Her.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Mrs. Elsie Gross today shot and killed her husband, Irving E. Gross, a post-office clerk, firing two shots across the breakfast table in their

apartment. "I killed him because I loved him," she declared when arrested. "He didn't love me any more." When she was taken to police headquarters, Mrs. Gross told another version of the shooting, asserting she fired in self-defense, after a struggle over a pistol. Her husband, she said, had frequently beaten her and threatened to divorce her.

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### NORRIS IN NEW EFFORT TO ADMIT MRS. LERNER

Senator Prepares Resolution to Force State Department to Vise Passport.

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—A resolution to admit to this country Anna Lerner, the wife of a native-born American, was prepared today by Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, whose efforts to have the visa of her passport have been unavailing. Mrs. Lerner is detained in Russia and Secretary Hughes has informed Senator Norris that information as to her activities is of such a character that the State Department "has felt compelled to issue instructions to have her application for visa refused."

### MAIL SACK FOUND IN HALL

A United States mail sack, with the strings cut and only four parcel post packages inside, was discovered in a hallway at 1611 Lucas avenue last night when Emma Joyce, a negro woman, of that address, stumbled over it in the darkness. The police were unable to learn how it got there. Postal inspectors said today they had not been notified.

### J. T. MILLIKEN JR. INDICTED ON CONCEALED WEAPON CHARGE

Accusation Based on Shooting of Elbert Delmain at Roadhouse at Eureka.

The St. Louis County grand jury yesterday returned nine indictments, one of which charges John T. Milliken Jr. of 4915 Lindell boulevard with carrying a concealed weapon. The charge is based on the shooting of Elbert Delmain, 26 years old, in a roadhouse at Eureka, Mo., Jan. 27 last. Milliken gave a \$1500 bond to appear in court Jan. 14.

A charge of felonious wounding against Milliken was continued for the third time in Circuit Judge McElhinney's court in Clayton, Nov. 6 last when the State reported being unable to locate Delmain and two witnesses. Milliken, who is 24 years old, has maintained the shooting was accidental.

Louis Hoss, 41 years old, a carpenter of St. John's Station, is charged with the assault to kill in another of the indictments. It is understood. He fired a charge of buckshot into a group of boys who were making merry in front of his home Halloween eve, Oct. 31, seriously wounding Edward Welton, 11, a neighbor. Hoss said he did not aim at the boy and only intended to fire into the air to scare them away.

Two more indictments are said to charge a County Constable with operating an automobile while intoxicated and a Justice of the Peace with extorting illegal fees. The other five indictments are for alleged liquor violations.

### WRANGLE IN SENATE OVER NEGRO LIKELY

W. L. Cohen, Who Once Failed of Confirmation, Up Again for New Orleans Job.

Post-Dispatch Bureau.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—While Senators Ransdell and Broussard, Democrats, Louisiana, were at the White House protesting, President Coolidge had on its way to the Senate yesterday the nomination of Walter L. Cohen, negro Republican National Committeeman of Louisiana, to continue as Comptroller of Customs at New Orleans.

The appointment was the most striking of the 5000 sent by Mr. Coolidge for approval, among which was that of Frank B. Kellogg of Minnesota to be Ambassador to Great Britain. Cohen originally was appointed by President Harding.

Mr. Harding promptly named Cohen by recess appointment, though his insistence was considered disastrous to any ambition of Republicans to carry any Southern State.

Negro leaders awaited Mr. Coolidge's disposition of the Cohen case with much concern, maintaining that if he failed to stand by the committee in the face of protests from Southerners, the negroes would bolt the Republican party en masse to the Farmer-Laborites.

Mr. Coolidge obviously did not desire to offend the negroes further. Senator Broussard is expected to object in the Senate and a lengthy contest is in sight before Cohen is confirmed.

The nominations include approximately 2000 postmasters and 2000 army officers. The army promotions included one Brigadier-General, Walter Henry Gordon, to be Major-General.

Other Important Appointments. Appointments to the Railroad Labor Board were Horace Baker, management group, reappointment; E. F. Grabe of Michigan, labor group, and Edwin P. Morrow, former Governor of Kentucky, public group. Henry H. Curran, serving by recess appointment, was nominated for Commissioner of Immigration at New York.

President Coolidge named Richard M. Tobin to be Minister to the Netherlands. He has been serving by recess appointment.

### YOUTHS IN AUTO THAT KILLED BABY HELD FOR MANSLAUGHTER

Two youths were held on charges of manslaughter today after an inquest into the death on Nov. 11 last of Helen Louise Hubert, 14 months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hubert of 1390 North Thirty-third street, East St. Louis.

The child was killed instantly and the parents injured when an automobile in which they were riding was struck by another, throwing the girl from her mother's lap into the street. The collision occurred at Twenty-fifth street and Lincoln avenue. Vincent Orcutt, 16 years old, of 724 North Twenty-second street, driver of the other car, and John Laughlin, 17, of 520 Illinois avenue, whose parents own the car, were the ones held.

Hubert testified he was driving slowly when struck from behind. Orcutt, in a written statement introduced at the inquest, admitted he was driving between 30 and 35 miles an hour. Other witnesses estimated the speed at 45 miles and more. There were two other youths and three girls in this car. The girls did not appear at the inquest.

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### SALLSTAD'S WIFE AND PRESENT HUSBAND WILL LIVE APART

Agree to Separate Until She Can Divorce Man in Disappearance Hoax.

By the Associated Press.  
NEW CLAIR, Wis., Dec. 11.—Shown a photograph of Edward J. Sallstad, under arrest at Napa, Cal., Mrs. Leona Sallstad-Richardson declared that she was convinced that the man under arrest in California was her husband. She immediately made an agreement with her present husband, Ross R. Richardson, to separate and live apart until such time as she can obtain a divorce from Sallstad and sufficient time has elapsed to permit their marriage legally.

After studying the Sallstad picture for a time, Mrs. Sallstad-Richardson declared that the man must be "crazy," otherwise he would never have acted as he did. "I never want to see him again," she said. "I would be afraid to go near him. Any man who leaves his wife and two children, and burns the body of a friend must be crazy."

"I am glad it is all settled. Reports that Ed had been found every now and then have greatly disturbed me." She asserted that she and Richardson could "start all over again" when the Sallstad case had been settled. Richardson, who was present during the interview, assented to all Mrs. Richardson said.

### The Christmas Store of Trorlicht-Duncker



#### Oval End Table

This little End Table is a product of the famous Stickley Bros., makers of quaint American furniture. The Javan walnut finish is priced at

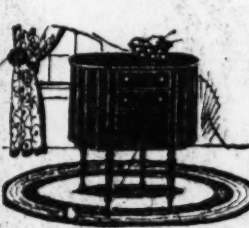
**\$6.95**

This same oval End Table may be had in black and gold, rose putty and putty and mahogany at prices slightly above the price of the Javan walnut.

#### Antique Mahogany Piano Bench

A beautiful Piano Bench in dull red mahogany or antique brown mahogany. It contains a compartment for music and is designed so as to be suitable for a player bench. The Bench has appealing simplicity that harmonizes with any piano. Also in burl walnut.

**\$12.50**



#### Martha Washington Cabinet

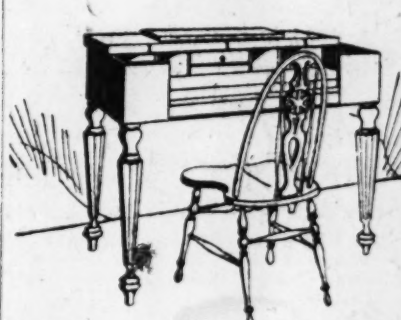
Here is a gift suggestion which will appeal strongly to all women. It is of such fine workmanship that it makes an unusual gift. Constructed of genuine solid mahogany, no detail is neglected—a perfect piece of cabinet work, even to concealed hinges.

**\$16.75**

**GIFTS**  
That Carry the Spirit of Christmas Into Every Day for Many Years

That sums up in a few words just what a gift of Furniture means. For you can select a piece for as little as you care to spend, but, nevertheless, it will be something useful and will bring constantly recurring thoughts of the giver. Here are a few of the dozens of suggestions that are ready in our Christmas displays.

Here Is an Attractive Group Gift



#### Combination Desk and Chair

This combination makes a practical group for living room, library or boudoir. The spinet desk, of combination mahogany in an antique finish, is a well-constructed, well-proportioned piece. The chair, of a Windsor type, goes with it excellently. At the combination price at which we are offering this desk and chair it makes an exceptional value for a Christmas gift.

Desk and Chair, **\$47.50** Christmas Special

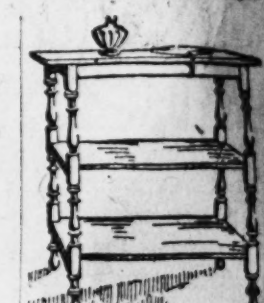


#### Handsome Stool

A very handsome stool, sturdily constructed and finished in dull silky antique mahogany. It will serve a useful purpose in many places about the home.

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**\$5.75**



#### Magazine Stand

This little Stand measures 14x28 in. Contains three shelves, comes in a beautiful Javan walnut finish. A product of the famous Stickley Bros., Grand Rapids.

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#### Mitered Mirror

Beautifully finished two-opening Mirror; illustrated above the lower opening measures 13 1/2 x 25 1/2; the upper opening 13 1/2 x 14 1/2; frame of old gold with chrome. Horizontal three-opening Mirror; center opening 12 1/2, end openings 12 1/2 inches square.

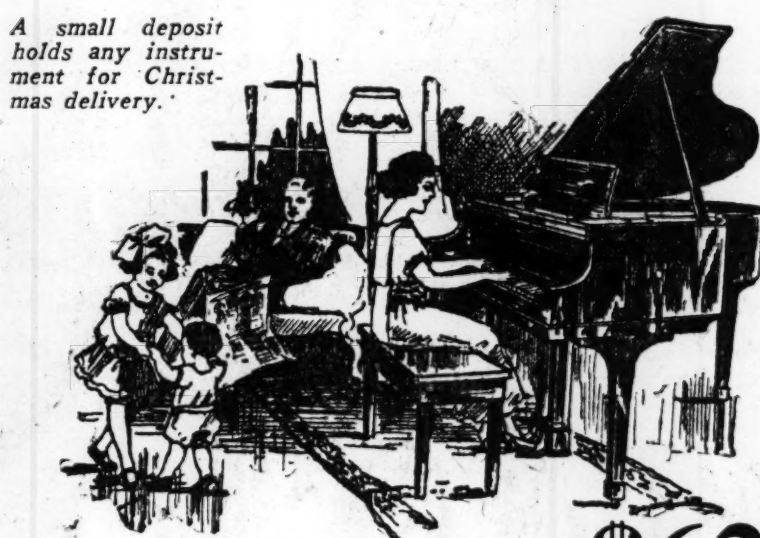
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#### Priscilla Cabinet

A Priscilla Cabinet of solid mahogany is as pretty as it is useful. Plenty of space in a small light cabinet, which can be easily moved anywhere in the room.

**\$9.75**

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To remember your wife reaching far into the future would be boundless.

Many, indeed, are the pointments listed below to show you this beautiful gift a privilege.

**Italian Renaissance**  
Of Burl Walnut, hand carved, panel inserts. Deep, rich colors of the same craftsmans beautiful exteriors. Ten pieces

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Of Old Oak, massive and elegant. The Refectory Table is characteristic of this period. Ten pieces

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Of French Walnut, elaborate hand carved. Tops of Sideboard and Serving Table in black mahogany with gold. Interiors of white quarter-sawn oak. A sumptuous set. Nine pieces

A lacquered Chest in Chinese Red and designs and Queen Anne stand in gilt—a replica of that given by Lord and Lady Waring to the Duke of York and Lady Elisabeth Bowes-Lyon on their marriage—is offered in conjunction with this set at \$950.

**Sheraton**  
Of Brown Mahogany, wide ribbon inlays, hand decorated. Ten pieces

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**SALLSTAD'S WIFE AND PRESENT  
HUSBAND WILL LIVE APART**

Agree to Separate Until She Can  
Prove Man in Disappearance  
Hoax.

By the Associated Press.  
ST. LOUIS, Dec. 11.—  
A photograph of Edward  
Sallstad, under arrest at Napa,  
Cal., Mrs. Leona Sallstad-Richard-  
son declared that she was con-  
vinced that the man under arrest  
was her husband. She  
immediately made an agreement  
with her present husband, Ross R.  
Richardson, to separate and live  
apart until such time as she can  
prove a divorce from Sallstad and  
sufficient time has elapsed to per-  
mit their marriage legally.

After studying the Sallstad pic-  
ture for a time, Mrs. Sallstad-  
Richardson declared that the man  
was "crazy," otherwise he  
would never have acted as he did.  
"I never want to see him again,"  
she said. "I would be afraid to go  
near him. Any man who leaves  
his wife and two children and  
turns the body of a friend must  
be crazy."

"I am glad it is all settled. Re-  
sults that Ed had been found every-  
where and then have greatly dis-  
turbed me."

She asserted that she and Rich-  
ardson could "start all over again,"  
while the Sallstad case had been  
settled.

Richardson, who was present  
during the interview, assented to  
Mrs. Richardson's said.

**NEW MERCURY BOILER  
PROCESS DEMONSTRATED**

Inventor Claims It Will Reduce  
Fuel Cost in Producing Elec-  
tricity One-Half.

By the Associated Press.  
HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 11.—  
Production of electricity for power  
and lighting purposes at approx-  
imately one-half the present fuel  
cost by the use of the new mercury  
boiler process, the success of which  
was recently announced by the in-  
ventor, William Leroy Emmet of  
the General Electric Co., was dem-  
onstrated yesterday before rep-  
resentatives of the press at the Dutch  
Point Plant of the Hartford Elec-  
tric Light Co. Representatives of  
the company, who have been oper-  
ating the only commercial mercury  
boiler in existence as part of the lo-  
cal plant, explained the process.  
How soon it will be possible to

pass this decreased cost of produc-  
tion on to the consumer in form of  
reduced rates for electricity was  
said to be dependent entirely on the  
possibility of producing mercury  
boilers for commercial plants. The  
production of enough mercury to  
take care of the demand which will  
follow the manufacture of mercury  
boilers was admitted to be another  
problem which might enter into the  
general commercial use of the new  
process.

**One-Family Homes Without Profit**  
By the Associated Press.  
CONCORD, N. H., Dec. 11.—The  
Chase Family Home Association,  
which filed incorporation papers  
here, has for its object "the gen-  
eral purpose of building houses de-  
signed for one family only and sell-  
ing the same without profit to per-  
sons having not less than two chil-  
dren." According to the charter,  
the officers of the association are  
to work without pay.

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Many, indeed, are the sets from which a splendid choice may be made, from the exquisite appointments listed below to our very attractive popularly priced sets.

To show you this beautiful furniture will be a pleasure and to assist you in selecting this great gift a privilege.

**Italian Renaissance**  
Of Burled Walnut, hand carved, marquetry panel inserts. Deep, rich coloring. Interiors of the same craftsmanship as the beautiful exteriors. Ten pieces \$1650

**Charles II**  
Of Old Oak, massive and elegant. The Refectory Table is characteristic of this period. Ten pieces \$1775

**French Renaissance**  
Of French Walnut, elaborately hand carved. Tops of Sideboard and Serving Table in black marble veined in gold. Interiors of white quarter-sawn oak. A sumptuous set. Nine pieces \$3800

**A lacquered Chest in Chinese Red and designs and Queen Anne stand in gilt—A replica of that given by Lord and Lady Warrington to the Duke of York and Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon on their marriage—is offered in conjunction with this set at \$550.**

**Sheraton**  
Of Brown Mahogany, wide ribbon inlays, hand decorated. Ten pieces, \$1800



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Walter Goss—Mrs. Elva Trice.  
Ray Jones—Anna Higgins.  
George Taylor—Mrs. Mary Miller.  
Charles Richey—Margaret Goulet.  
George York—Bertha Miller.  
Alexander Walker—Lena Miron.  
John L. Green—Mary Louise.  
Gertrude Green—Lena A. A.  
Peter Hultberg—Johanna.  
Charles Junior Belville—De Rosa—Pearl.  
Charles Vale—Miss.  
George H. Brown—Jefferson Barrack.  
Virginia Herr—Lena.  
John W. Wagner—Portland, Ore.—Mrs.  
Emily P. Schuman, St. Louis.  
William Soderstrom—Miss. Minn.  
Miss Edna Gaudin—Lena Miron.  
Lena Joseph Dufrenoy—St. Louis—Sara.  
Helen Green—Lena.  
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### At Edwardsville.

Oscar M. Laven—Washington, Wis.  
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Arthur W. M. Laven—Washington, Wis.

### At St. Charles.

John T. Ruch—Martha H. Stupak, St.  
Lena H. Ruch—Martha H. Stupak, St.  
St. Charles.  
James Ruch—Martha H. Stupak, St.  
St. Charles.  
Joseph F. Ruch—Martha H. Stupak, St.  
St. Charles.

### At Belleville.

Harold Harris—Lena—Oscar M. Laven.  
Oscar M. Laven—Washington, Wis.

### At East St. Louis.

Edna Green—Lena.  
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### WOMAN IS HELD BY CORONER FOR SLAYING OF BOARDER

Verdict of Homicide Returned  
Against Mrs. Florence King—  
Self-Defense Her Plea.

A coroner's verdict of homicide, 42 years old, 1588 N. Jefferson avenue, who had boarded with her for seven years, was returned today. Her husband, who was killed Sunday and Mrs. King signed a confession, saying that she shot him in self-defense after a quarrel.

Mrs. King, who told the police she wrested Herd's pistol from him and shot him several times after he had fired once or twice at her, did not make a statement at the inquest, on the advice of counsel.

Neighbors told of hearing four shots in rapid succession, followed two or three minutes later by a single report. Mrs. John Hickey of 1518 N. North Jefferson avenue told Mrs. King ran from the house

after the shots were fired, but returned soon, knocked on her door and cried hysterically that Herd had shot himself. Police officers testified that Mrs. King admitted the shooting, after saying at first it was a case of suicide.

Miss Mabel Rawlings of 1518 North Jefferson avenue, Mrs. King's daughter by her first husband, said that Herd had frequently threatened to shoot her mother or cut her throat, when he was drinking.

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Correspondence of the Associated Press.

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Supreme Court's Holiday Recess.  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—The Supreme Court has suspended until Jan. 20, taking the usual recess over the holidays and to prepare decisions in many pending cases.

**REBEL ATTACK ON TAMPICO TO BE LED BY DE LA HUERTA**

Radio Message to Vera Cruz Says Advance of Insurgents on Mexico City Continues.

By the Associated Press.  
VERA CRUZ, Dec. 11.—The gunboat Zaragoza is prepared to sail for Tampico to assist in the attack on that city, which is to be undertaken by the troops of Gov. Lopez de Lara of Tamaulipas in conjunction with troops commanded by Gen. Panuncio Martinez. The operation against Tampico is to be directed by Gen. Adolfo de la Huerta.

Advices received here say that Celaya, in the State of Guanajuato, north of Mexico City, has fallen into the hands of rebels commanded by Gen. Gabay.

A radio message from the headquarters of Gen. Estrada, commander of the Western forces, says that the advance on the capital from this direction is continuing.

Meanwhile troops are leaving Vera Cruz for the point of concentration from which the march on the capital from the east is to be started. This advance will be along the line of the Mexican railway.

It is reported here that a band of 100 Federal soldiers, sent to oppose the rebels, joined the insurgents near San Andres, Puebla. Troops which yesterday took possession of Puerto de Mexico pursued and dispersed the forces of Gen. Belmar, who abandoned the town with 100 men.

**Charges Against Obregon.**  
Adolfo de la Huerta charges that President Obregon backed the presidential candidacy of Gen. Plutarco Elias Calles "with the object of assuring for himself later a medium for reelection, which the nation rejects and our laws condemn." The charge is contained in a personal arraignment of the President, incorporated in De la Huerta's manifesto setting forth his program.

"The executive in principle," he declares, "has erected an empire of force over the right and has repudiated the Congress of Zacatecas, which was born out of the most genuine, unanimous and forceful popular opinion, despite the fact that that Congress was recognized and sanctioned by the Senate of the republic."

"He has rejected the Governor of Nuevo Leon, who was elected by popular vote, through the medium of pressure upon the authorities of that State. He has expelled from his State the constitutional Governor of Coahuila and has substituted an impostor of Calles, and obtained as the reward for this outrage the adherence to his plan of the Senators of Coahuila, thus sacrificing the independence of the legislative power of the nation."

"With his pretensions he thought corrupt the honor of the army and with the major part of his secretaries of state, plot of the assassin-deputes who had the audacity to criticize the officials. He has employed threats to subjugate the faint-hearted representatives. He has bribed with gifts and promises those deputies and Senators without honor and has gone to the limit to make impossible the free functioning of the legislative power."

**Wire Communication With Mexico City Restored.**

By the Associated Press.  
EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 11.—Telegraphic communication with Mexico City direct which was cut Saturday when the railway between the railway at Cantitas, Zacatecas, has been re-established. Government officials in Juarez received messages from their chiefs in the capital today. Resumption of communication is taken to indicate that the Federal officers are again in control of the railway line for its entire length.

**Governor of Chihuahua Reported Captured.**

By the Associated Press.  
CHIHUAHUA CITY, Mexico, Dec. 11.—Gov. Ignacio Enriquez of the state of Chihuahua has been captured near Tornabene by the Federal forces and is being held prisoner, according to word received by legislators here today. Gov. Enriquez was returning to the state Capitol from Mexico City, where he went in an effort to prevent a rupture between Plutarco Calles and Adolfo de la Huerta.

**SUES DEVEREAUX HENDERSON**  
Wife, Seeking Divorce, Charges He Abandoned Her.

Suit for divorce, alimony and custody of their two children was filed in Circuit Court today by Mrs. Rhoda M. Henderson against Devereaux Henderson, formerly an attorney here, but now said to be in Houston, Tex.

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## CHURCHILL CALM UNDER FIRE AT LIBEL HEARING

Former Head of British Ad-  
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ing Been Discredited  
Throughout War.

### WITNESS REPUDIATES THE SUGGESTION

Denies He Was Influenced  
or Dominated in German  
Overtures by Sir Ernest  
Cassel.

St. Louis, Dec. 11.—(Associated Press.)—The witness stand today in his libel suit against Lord Alfred Douglas, was accused of having been an entirely discredited person throughout the war, when he held several high cabinet positions successfully and of having been dominated by his friend, Sir Ernest Cassel, "a full-blown German, naturalized in England."

The charges, which were called "suggestions" by their maker, Cecil Hays, counsel for Lord Alfred, failed to rattle Churchill, who kept both his temper and his sense of humor. As to being discredited, he said:

"I repudiate your suggestion. I don't believe it is true. If it were, it would be undeserved."

Sir Ernest Cassel was sent to Germany in 1912 by Premier Asquith, Churchill then being head of the Admiralty. With reference to this, the former First Lord explained that Cassel was persona grata with the Kaiser and also faithful to the British crown.

Sought to Prevent Crown.  
"I put it to you, you were influenced by Cassel in these German overtures and were dominated by his personality," suggested the defense counsel, to which Churchill replied:

"Certainly not. I was influenced by an earnest desire to prevent a breach between England and Germany."

The witness denied that he had seen the communique on the battle of Jutland before it was published in the newspapers. The present suit hinges on this document, as Churchill bases his libel action upon a pamphlet published by Lord Alfred entitled "The Murder of Lord Kitchener and the truth about the battle of Jutland, and the Jews," in which it was declared a false communique was issued by Churchill in order to influence the stock markets for the benefit of Sir Ernest Cassel and a syndicate.

The Earl of Balfour was the first witness for the prosecution at the opening of the trial of Lord Alfred.

Attorney-General Sir Douglas Hogg, for the prosecution, said he would prove untrue the whole allegation in the pamphlet that Churchill had issued a false communique about the battle of Jutland in order to influence the stock markets for the benefit of Sir Ernest Cassel and a syndicate with which the latter was connected. The Earl of Balfour testified that the original draft of the communique was in his own handwriting and that Churchill had nothing to do with it.

Received Presents, Is Charge.  
Lord Alfred's plea maintained that Churchill received presents of money and furniture from Cassel after the battle of Jutland; also that Cassel and the syndicate made 15,000,000 pounds on British stocks and 15,000,000 pounds on German stocks as a result of the plot Churchill received 40,000 pounds as his share.

The prosecutor said there was no profit made by anybody dealing in British or German stocks. It would be proved that Cassel never had a single deal in German stock throughout the war, he said.

The prosecutor said Churchill would tell the jury that the only offer he received from Cassel were furniture for a room in his house, taken in 1918, and a check for 500 pounds on his marriage day, eight years before the battle of Jutland.

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**Program**

1—Song: (a) Somewhere a Voice Is Calling—Tate Mr. Gray, Miss Williams at the piano. (b) Piano. (c) Solo. (d) Solo. (e) Solo. (f) Solo. (g) Solo. (h) Solo. (i) Solo. (j) Solo. (k) Solo. (l) Solo. (m) Solo. (n) Solo. (o) Solo. (p) Solo. (q) Solo. (r) Solo. (s) Solo. (t) Solo. (u) Solo. (v) Solo. (w) Solo. (x) Solo. (y) Solo. (z) Solo. (aa) Solo. (ab) Solo. (ac) Solo. (ad) Solo. (ae) Solo. (af) Solo. (ag) Solo. (ah) Solo. (ai) Solo. (aj) Solo. (ak) Solo. (al) Solo. (am) Solo. (an) Solo. (ao) Solo. (ap) Solo. (aq) Solo. (ar) Solo. (as) Solo. (at) Solo. (au) Solo. (av) Solo. (aw) Solo. (ax) Solo. (ay) Solo. (az) Solo. (ba) Solo. (bb) Solo. (bc) Solo. (bd) Solo. (be) Solo. (bf) Solo. (bg) Solo. (bh) Solo. (bi) Solo. (bj) Solo. (bk) Solo. (bl) Solo. (bm) Solo. (bn) Solo. (bo) Solo. (bp) Solo. (bq) Solo. (br) Solo. (bs) Solo. (bt) Solo. (bu) Solo. (bv) Solo. (bw) Solo. (bx) Solo. (by) Solo. (bz) Solo. (ca) Solo. (cb) Solo. (cc) Solo. (cd) Solo. (ce) Solo. (cf) Solo. (cg) Solo. (ch) Solo. 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**Wednesday—7:00 P. M.**

Program by Alber's Concert Ensemble. Arne Arneson, violinist, broadcast direct from Hotel Statler.

**9:00 P. M.**

Spanish War Anniversary program by Missouri and Illinois veterans.

**11:00 P. M.**

Broadcasting direct from Hotel Statler, dance music played by Rodinich's orchestra.

Norman V. Dixon, St. Louis baritone, one of the popular soloists of the city, gave the Monday midnight artist recital which was broadcast by Station K S D and more than maintained the standard established for these musical events.

Dixon was in especially good voice and sang his entire program, which consisted of five groups, each three or more numbers in excellent style and with true artistry.

He was ably assisted by Mrs. Dixon as his accompanist.

Persons who took the trouble to call up by telephone to express their pleasure said the concert was one of the best ever sent out from Station K S D.

The artists who gave the special International Test Program at this station on Wednesday, Nov. 28, will present tonight's program which will begin at 8 o'clock in the studio. The Tuesday midnight programs have been discontinued temporarily.

**ARMOR TO FIGHT WOLVES**

Minnesota Inventor Leather Suit Studded With Spikes.

By Dr. Associated Press.

WINNIPEG, Dec. 11.—Having turned himself into a human porcupine Stanley Carlson of St. Paul, Minn., yesterday announced his intention of departing soon for Port Arthur to play the wolves of Northern Ontario for Government bounty.

He has constructed anti-wolf armor, comprising a cowhide suit covered with spikes an inch long, a helmet, a wire mask and spiked gloves. The rig weighs only 25 pounds despite the fact that it has embedded in it 1200 nails at half-inch intervals. Carlson's plan is to let the wolves nibble at his armor while he clouts them on the head with an ax.

**ENGINEER'S INJURIES FATAL**

Harry Leppert's Leg Was Broken In Switch Engine Accident.

Harry Leppert 42 years old, of 2340 Missouri avenue an engineer for the Terminal Railroad Association died yesterday of injuries suffered Nov. 19 when a switch engine he was driving in the Terminal yards at Eighteenth street collided with a Baltimore & Ohio engine which had jumped the track at a switching "cross over." Leppert suffered a compound fracture of the left thigh, and later embolism set in.

**WOMAN DEAD. RAZOR AT SIDE**

Young Nephew Returns From Errand to Find Body.

Mrs. Elizabeth J. Kerst, 38 years old, of 2635A Nebraska avenue, was found in the kitchen of her home at 5 p. m. yesterday with wounds in throat and left wrist. A razor lay at her side. Clifford J. Kerst, 12, a nephew, who lived there, had been sent by her on a trifling errand, and when he returned found his aunt dead.

Richard Kerst, her husband, told policemen he knew no reason why his wife should want to end her life. She was in good spirits when he left home in the morning, he said.

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**For as little or as much as you wish to spend**

Opposite each name on your Christmas list, jot down the amount you wish to spend.

You will find that there are Eversharp and Wahl Pens which so closely parallel your figures that you can give this favorite pen and pencil to everyone on your list.

Few gifts offer so much in beauty, pleasure and usefulness. Eversharp is America's favorite pencil—and its features can't be copied. Only Eversharp has the rifled tip that holds the lead free from all slip or wobble. Look for the automatic index, too! And the eraser and extra leads which are found under the cap.

Wahl Pen in gold or silver matches Eversharp in design. The all-metal Wahl Pen is a truly wonderful fountain pen improvement. It can't crack or split. It holds more ink. It is more beautiful. And it will last a lifetime.

To those who have Eversharp, give the Wahl Pen that matches it. And vice versa. To those who have neither, give both. In the velvet-lined gift box. Look for the name on each. Eversharp is \$1 to \$50; Wahl Pen is \$4 to \$50.

**SOMETHING NEW!**

The Miniature Set

A real Eversharp and a real Wahl Pen in a diminutive case that can be carried on the end of a watch chain, ribbon or in the smallest purse. Ask to see them.

They give the same perfect service as their larger brothers. The tiny Wahl Pen will write 1200 words at a sitting. You can't give a more original gift—or one which is more useful than the Eversharp and Wahl Pen miniature set.

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**\$275.00**

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HERE is a Christmas gift that will give a lifetime of pleasure to the entire family—a high class Player-Piano Outfit including music roll cabinet and music rolls—all at a wonderfully low price—and on such easy terms that you will scarcely miss the money. We ask you to see this Outfit and compare it with anything shown elsewhere at higher prices. Selections made now will be held until Christmas on payment of a small deposit.

**No Interest Charged.**

**Used Player-Pianos at Sacrifice Prices—Terms to Suit**

<b>Apollo Player-Piano</b> Sold for \$475.00 when new..... <b>\$205</b>	<b>Carl Schirmer Player-Piano</b> Sold for \$700.00 when new..... <b>\$365</b>	<b>Melville-Clark Player-Piano</b> Sold for \$400.00 when new..... <b>\$195</b>
<b>Muehlhauser Player-Piano</b> Sold for \$500.00 when new..... <b>\$295</b>	<b>Hickman &amp; Son Player-Piano</b> Sold for \$700.00 when new..... <b>\$385</b>	<b>Harrington Player-Piano</b> Sold for \$450.00 when new..... <b>\$165</b>
<b>Beckman &amp; Son Player-Piano</b> Sold for \$550.00 when new..... <b>\$235</b>	<b>Boudoir Player-Piano</b> Sold for \$450.00 when new..... <b>\$135</b>	<b>Gerhard Player-Piano</b> Sold for \$650.00 when new..... <b>\$395</b>

**Pretty All-Metal Smoking Stand**

LIKE cut—decorated in polychrome effect—has glass tray, cigar rests and match holder. Special for this week

**\$1.95**

**Cabinet Style Smoking Stand**

LIKE cut, equipped with ash tray, match holder, cigar rests and blue glass cigar humidifier—an ideal gift..... **\$17.75**

**Combination Vacuum Carpet Sweeper**

50c a Week Will Pay for It.

A PRACTICAL and efficient Vacuum Carpet Sweeper. Sweeps and cleans thoroughly by a combination of revolving brushes and strong suction power. No cost for electricity.

**\$4.95**

**For Music Rolls**

A HANDSOME Music Roll Cabinet—like cut—holds 50 rolls—has glass door and ornamental grill—special at

**\$23.75**

**Men's Chiffonrobe**

COMBINES a Wardrobe and Chiffonier, all in one. Solid oak and well finished. A gift any man would appreciate.

**\$18.95**

**Doll Carts**

SEEMS as though every little girl expects a Doll Cart for Christmas. We have a lot of very pretty little Go-Carts—like cut—finished in brown, gray or blue—have rubber-tired wheels, steel gear and adjustable hood.

Special for this week at..... **\$3.95**

**Kitchen Heater**

BUILT of cast iron—has large top with two 8-inch covers—burns any kind of coal or wood.

**\$9.95**

**End Table**

COMBINES End Table and Book Rack—two-tone mahogany or walnut finish—\$15.00 value. In this Christmas sale at..... **\$7.95**

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Operators handle your daily service on one side of your switchboard—behind, the merger work goes forward

## Behind Your Switchboard During the Merger Work

They're at work on both sides of your switchboard these days!


In front the busy arms of operators are setting up talk tracks for 750,000 calls daily.

Behind the board, men are soldering by hand thousands of connections so that *the* pair of wires leading from *your* telephone will connect with all other telephones in St. Louis.

This vital phase of the merger of the Bell and Kinloch systems must be handled with particular care so that its effect on your service may be reduced to a minimum.

It is not possible to suspend, reroute, or in any way dispose of the flood of calls during the period that the two wire systems in St. Louis are being welded into one. Both jobs must go on at the same time.

Our efforts are bent toward expediting the merger work with as little inconvenience as possible in your daily service.



## SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

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Telephone System for a Greater St. Louis.*







## St. Louis Stocks

ST. LOUIS STOCK EXCHANGE. The following transactions on the local stock market today: In the aggregate, amounted to 25,500 shares of stocks and \$1,000,000 of bonds.

The following list of stock sales, the prices paid and the net changes, as compared with the preceding day's sales, are given in the previous transactions.

Stock	Price	Change
Am. Tobacco	114.00	0.00
Am. Union Trust	10.00	0.00
Am. Nat. Bank	10.00	0.00
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## Wall Street News and Comment

## SPECIAL DAILY

By a Special Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Reduction of the Chicago & Northwestern dividend to \$3 annual basis and the payment of the dividend of Chicago & Omaha imposed considerable pressure on the stock market today. Northwestern stock broke down 40 points and there was urgent selling in other of the Northwest railroads. The result was considerable unsettlement in the rest of the railway list. But the industrial stock market had been in progress in special stocks it continued through the afternoon.

## The Bond Market.

The feature in today's bond market was the advance in Brooklyn Manhattan Transit 6s under heavy transactions. Closing Monday night at 67 1/2, the price was up before noon to 70, with a net of 2 1/2 points to some sub-sequent reaction.

Today's quotation compares with the low for the year of 65 1/2 and a high of 74 1/2. The basis for the speculative interest was not only the earnings but the reported improvement in political situation. The earnings make a very favorable showing.

No particular interest was displayed in other traction securities nor was there any great activity in the speculative rails. Seaboard Air Line adjustments fluctuated around 45. Erie bonds were also making a rest after their recent remarkable advance. All the St. Paul Junior bonds were heavy but prices were only fractional.

Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville 6s of 1946 went higher. Baltimore and Ohio 4s also in demand.

Liberties had only minor and unimportant fluctuations.

Foreign issues moved uncertainly but somewhat in the tone was evident among Brazilian obligations. The largest trading of the day was in the 7 per cent Central Railway of Brazil Electricification loan. These bonds were originally offered in June, 1932, at 5 1/2 per cent. Their present price is 18 points down and they are a little above the low of the year.

New issues of the day included \$1,369,000 in Chicago, Terre Haute and Southeastern first and refunding 5s offered at 90 1/2 to yield about 6 1/2 per cent.

## Financial Notes

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—The syndicate which recently offered 200,000 shares of the capital stock of William Wrigley Jr. company has been dissolved more than a month in advance of the specified time. It was reported, The shares were disposed of at 40 a share.

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## NEW YORK BONDS

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Dec. 11.—Following is an official list of bonds traded in the market today. Total sales today were \$9,702,000 against \$9,312,000 yesterday. \$11,490,000 today against \$11,447,000 yesterday.

From January to date sales were \$2,848,000 against \$3,847,869,000 a year ago and \$3,351,308,000 two years ago.

## GOVERNMENT BONDS.

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## GRAIN PRICES LOWER

## ON LOCAL EXCHANGE

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Wtd.—Acetylene, for welding.  
Box 485, Collinsville, Ill.

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**ORIENTAL RUGS, DRAPERIES, ETC.**  
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Phone Cabany 2131M.

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STOVE—Superior; reasonable;  
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Combination, blue enamel; same

Of all kinds, practically at year's end; Buck's, Baker's, Bridge's, Porter Oak, Quick Meal and others, as good as new; cash or order, 1034 N. Vandeventer. (c58)

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**CLEANERS**—Demonstrated Hoovers, Eureka's, Tergitrol, Western Electric's, Hamilton American and Ohio; all goods as guaranteed: 40 per cent discount. N. Sarah. Linell 2434.

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You come and let us show you

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 WASHINGTON, 1341A - Nicely furnished  
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 finished room; good table; reason-  
 able.  
 WASHINGTON BL., 4325 - Front  
 good meal; heat, twin beds; but  
 men only.  
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 for table; in small family; Un-  
 der Union care

**4549 WESTMINSTER BL.**  
Large, well-heated rooms; running  
hot and cold water; people employed;  
free breakfast.  
**PINE BL., 4244—Desirable**  
and board with refined family  
living Dec. 15.  
**PINE BL., 4244—Desirable**  
board, with refined family; bag  
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**PINE BL., 4241—Elegant!**  
finished first and second floor;  
good meals.

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**ROOM**—Front 2d floor, gentlemen strictly private family. Grand 301  
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**DANNING, 1009 N.**—Furnished

For light housekeeping.  
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furnished, for gentlemen; all conven-  
iences. Call 7702W.  
AND BL. 1816B N. — 3 front  
and kitchenette. \$4. 35. 38; steam  
Lindell 2888S.  
CADE. 3547—Rooms; nice  
sleeping housekeeping. Lindell 84  
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weekly rate; tub and shower bath.  
WASHINGTON. 3107 — House-  
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phone \$4 up; also basement room  
kitchen; cheap. Gas, heat, elec.

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**WILSON, 2420—4 rooms, modern and desirable.**

**WILLY, 2001—2 light housekeeping room, boarders. Call Wednesday.**

**BEDROOM AND KITCHENETTE—Completely furnished for housekeeping rate. 3743 Lincoln.**

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DINTON 316 S—3 rooms, electric  
 gas; no children.  
 LEVENTH 3814 N—2 com-  
 plete rooms for housekeeping; also bath  
 room.  
 LEVENTH 1530 N—Large warm  
 finished room for 2 or 3 people  
 each.  
 GROVE 4164—Nice'y furnished  
 room; all conveniences; 2  
 baths.  
 GRAND BL. 3113 N.—On nicely  
 furnished room for housekeeping; all  
 conveniences.  
 —Special. 7214A—Lovely room for  
 2 ladies; board optional.  
 CHELSEA 4437—Bath—3 large bed-  
 rooms; all conveniences; 2

ST. LOUIS, 2157A—Furnished room: electric, sink, toilet and bath.

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STANTON, 1114—4 rooms, for  
housekeeping. Stanley 1831R.  
STANTON, 3816—Furnished room  
gentlemen; private family; 4 car  
phone Grand 5068R.  
STEELEMAN, 3939—Beautiful room,  
2 gentlemen; garage optional. (C)  
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1 or 2 gentlemen. Grand 2331R.  
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rooms; 2 beds; kitchenette to you;  
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ADL 3628A—Front room, with kitchenette for light housekeeping.  
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UNIATA. 3617—Warm hall room, fireplace; gentleman.  
APAYATE. 2830 — New decorated rooms for light housekeeping; no

**WOLFELLOW BL. 1723A**—Two  
housekeeping rooms, all conven-  
iences. Grand \$896W.

**LEON. 1916**—One completely  
bathed front housekeeping room,  
bath, electric, hot bath, fuel, 3  
parties employed. Lquire at 30  
0000—Large, for 2 gentlemen or  
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with private family, one block  
Grand car and bus line, hot-water  
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**MURRELL. 3646**—Two rooms, nicely  
bathed for light housekeeping.

**Southwest**

ROUTE 4544—Room, furnish-  
ment; all conveniences; reason-  
able.

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ACADEMY, 722—One large, sun-  
lit room for sleeping; one large  
and bright.

725—Furnished rooms for  
 breakfasting, all conveniences.  
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 employed; housekeeping  
 modern. Forest 1045J.  
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 bath. Forest 3493R.  
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 room, heated. 37. 95. Forest  
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 housekeeping room; fully equipped  
 laundry, sewing machine;  
 adults.

LA 1325-1326-Size front room: air  
conditioned, everything 1st class.  
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rooms: all conveniences.  
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DO YOUR  
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# FIFTEEN OIL FIRM OFFICIALS ADMIT MAIL FRAUD CHARGES

Jail Sentences and Fines Imposed  
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at Fort Worth.

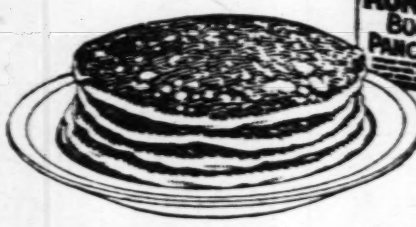
By the Associated Press.  
FORT WORTH, Tex., Dec. 11.—  
Government's prosecution of the  
Revere Oil Co. practically came to  
an end yesterday when 15 of the  
30 defendants entered pleas of  
guilty to mail fraud charges, thus  
closing one of the largest cases that  
has grown out of the inquiry into  
the operations of alleged fraudulent  
oil promoters.

Upon the recommendations of  
Henry Zweifel, United States District  
Attorney, sentences ranging from  
nine months in the county jail and a fine of \$500 to a fine of  
\$250 were imposed by Federal  
Judge James C. Wilson.

Investigation by the Government  
has revealed that the Revere com-  
pany sold stock to the total  
amount of more than \$7,000,000  
for a sum totaling \$1,500,000.  
John C. Vesser and Albert Shep-  
pard, trustees of the company,  
were given the highest punish-

ments. Vesser was sent to jail for  
nine months and fined \$500. Shep-  
pard's sentence was six months in  
jail and \$500 fine.

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"BUCKWHEATS"



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famous Aunt Jemima recipe with just enough fine buckwheat  
flour added to give the flavor you long for. Ready-mixed—  
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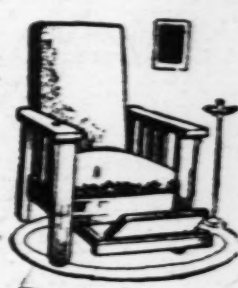
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This is a standard equip-  
ped Phonograph and has  
a beautiful tone. It is  
finished in mahogany.  
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Chiffonette

Finished in golden oak and has  
large clothes-hanging com-  
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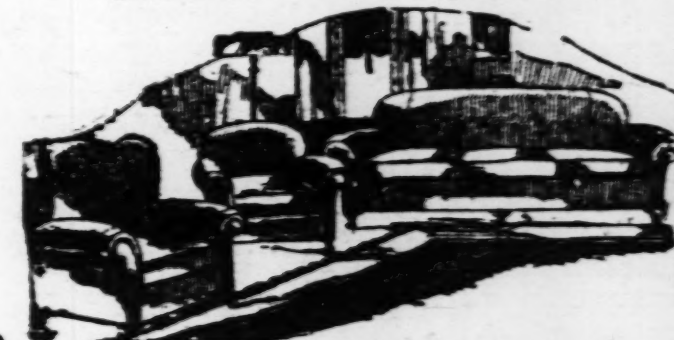
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Bridge Lamp

Has a beautifully designed,  
sturdily constructed base.  
Shade made and lined with high  
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\$375 Overstuffed Suite

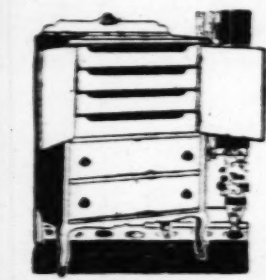
Upholstered in a beautiful high-quality mohair, with  
Marshall spring loose-cushion construction and con-  
sists of Chesterfield, armchair and wing fireside chair  
or rocker. This Suite is one of the finest obtainable. Priced in this sale  
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A wonderful gift for a man.  
Solidly constructed and finish-  
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Odd Chiffonette

These beautiful Chiffonettes  
are well constructed and finish-  
ed in walnut. Special at

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Davenport  
Table

Beautifully designed and finish-  
ed in mahogany. It will  
add a touch of splendor to  
your living room. Priced at

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Bassinette

Well constructed and finish-  
ed in a heavy coat of  
white enamel.

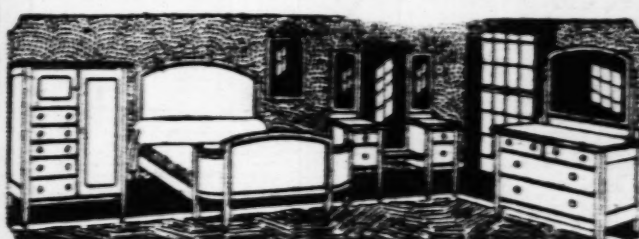
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Walnut  
Cedar Chest

This beautiful Walnut Cedar  
Chest is lined with  
Tennessee red cedar. Price  
special.

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Bedroom Suite

A gorgeous Suite finished in walnut. Consists of full-  
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Upholstered in an excellent grade of velour and has  
Marshall spring-seat construction. Consists of  
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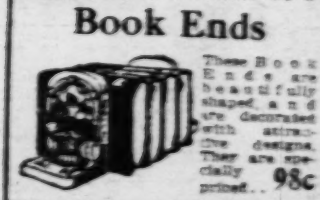
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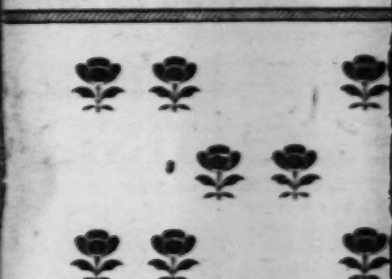
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THE LATEST SLIP  
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## WITH PEARY ON POLAR TRIP, NOW ON POLAR FLIGHT BOARD

Lieutenant-Commander R. A. Bartlett, U. S. N., who was captain of the "Roosevelt," which carried Admiral Peary on his successful expedition to the North Pole, now a member of the naval board, which will make plans for the flight to the North Pole in the dirigible "Shenandoah."

—International Newsreel Photo.

## THE UNIFORM HEADS OF THE UNITED STATES



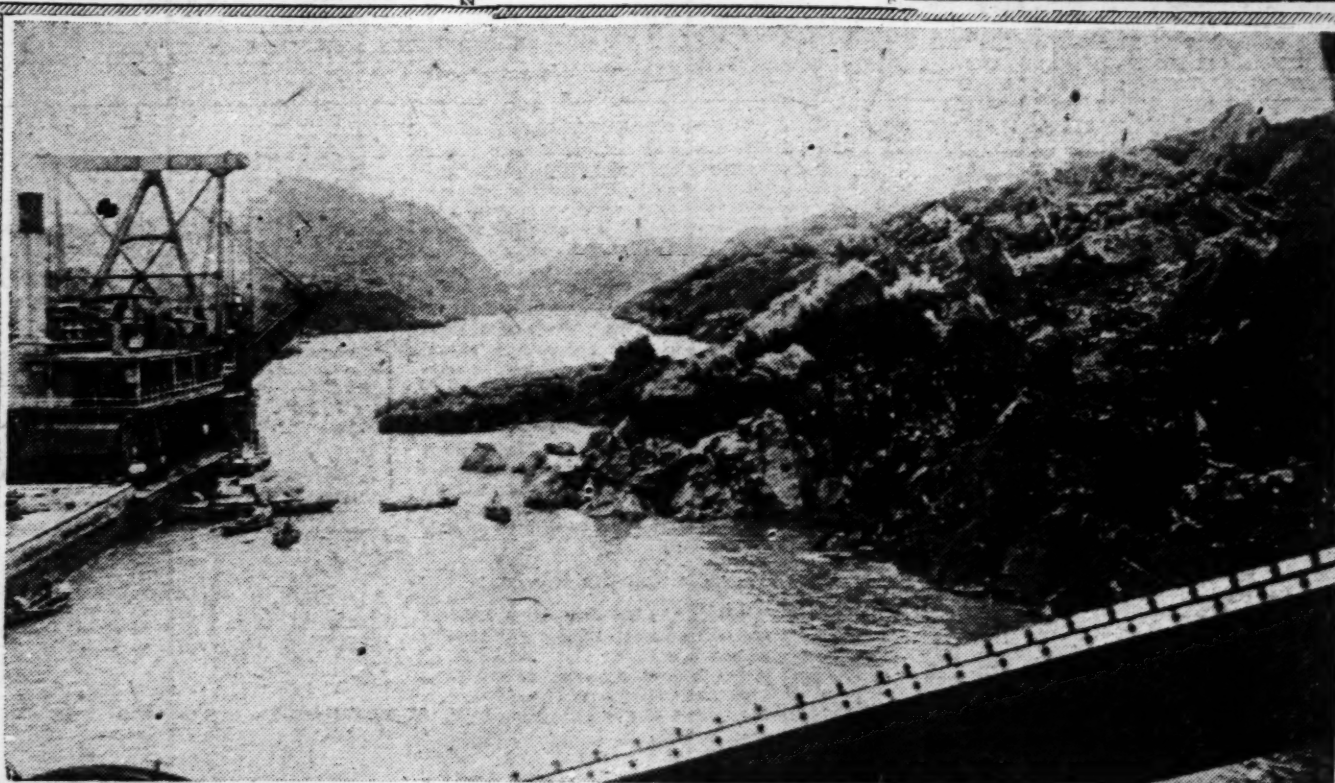
Secretary of War Weeks and six heads of the uniform service of the United States at the War Department. Left to right: Admiral W. R. Reynolds, Commandant Coast Guard; Major-General John L. Hines, Acting Chief of Staff; Secretary of War Weeks, Secretary of the Navy Denby, Admiral Eberle, Naval operations; Major-General Le Jeune, Marine Corps; Surgeon-General Cumming, U. S. Public Health Service.

—Wide World Photographs.

## THE LATEST SLIDE IN THE PANAMA CANAL

Recently between Gamboa and Pedro Miguel nearly a half a million cubic yards of dirt and rock slid into the waters of the canal. A dredge is shown in the picture clearing a channel for ships.

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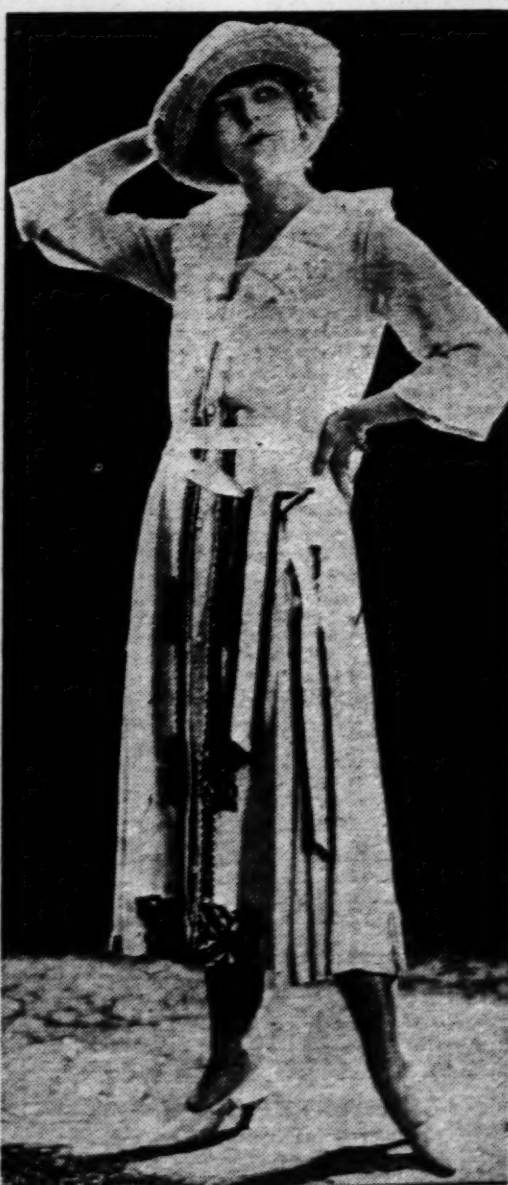


## NEW FRIENDS BUILDING A BUNGALOW AS CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR "WHITEY" HILL, CRIPPLED IN ACCIDENT IN 1919



(1) Edward Hill, former construction foreman, was badly injured on a building job. Workmen who became interested in his case have put up this home for him at 5524 Labadie avenue, working Saturdays and Sundays and often at night.

## STAGE BEAUTY WHO WILL WED TURFMAN



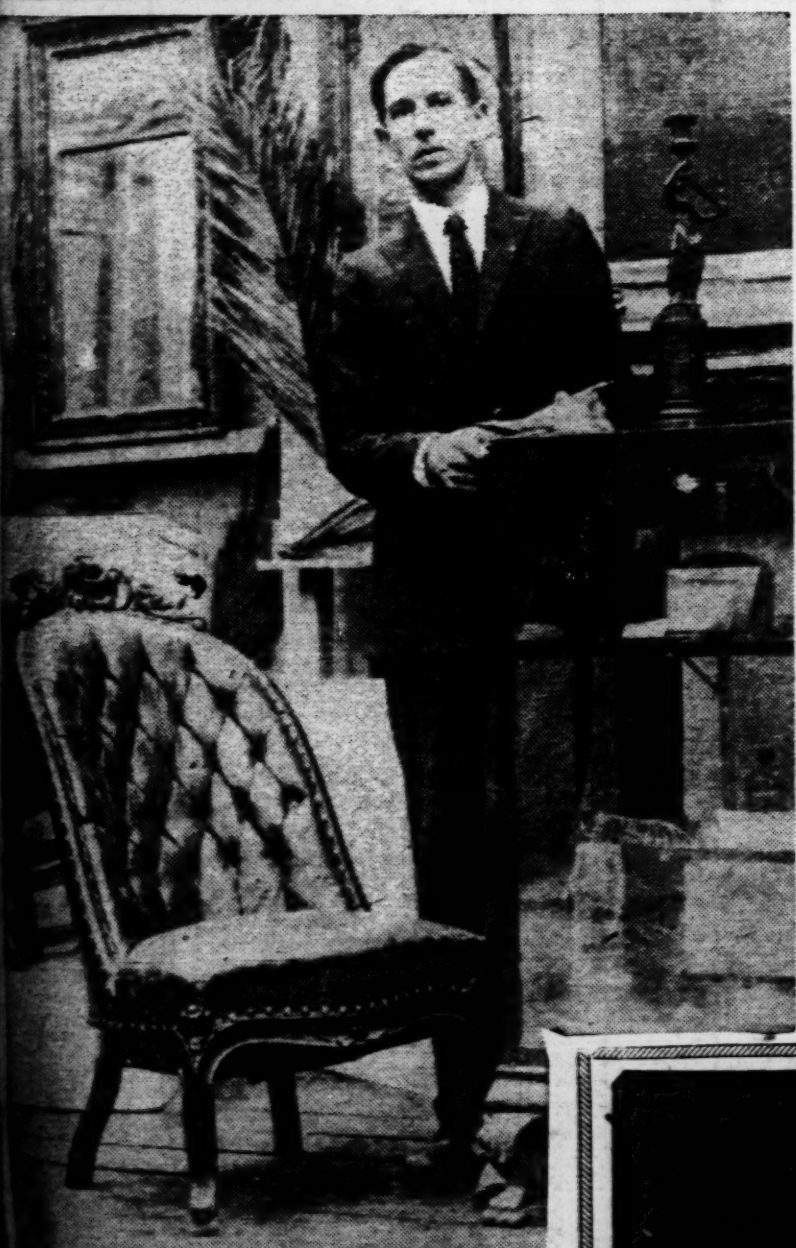
Miss Allyn King, who is soon to marry Carl Weidemann, wealthy Kentucky brewer and owner of In Memoriam, the conqueror of Zev. This report reveals a 9-year romance which started when Weidemann was a student at Yale.

—International Newsreel Photograph.

## MARK TWAIN'S DAUGHTER TO AID DRIVE FOR MEMORIAL FUND TO HONOR HER FATHER

Mrs. Clara Clemens Gabriлович, a noted musician, will give a series of five concerts in Missouri for the benefit of the Mark Twain Memorial Park Association.

—Photograph by J. Willard Riddings, Columbia, Mo.



## ANDREW JACKSON IV, GREAT-GREAT-GRANDSON OF "OLD HICKORY," AMONG HIS MOST PRIZED POSSESSIONS

Surrounded by his valued heirlooms of the famous family, including the White House chair of "Old Hickory," Andrew Jackson IV, namesake of the seventh President of the United States. Mr. Jackson is a student at the University of Southern California Law School.

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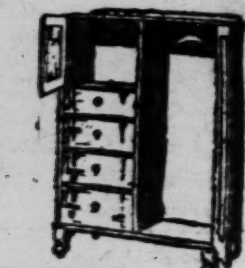
## EDWARD HILL AND HIS FAMILY ON THE PORCH OF THEIR NEW HOME

(2) Mrs. Hill, "Whitey," their daughter, Aniceta, and Grandma Hill, who will live in the house that was built for Christmas.

—By Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer.

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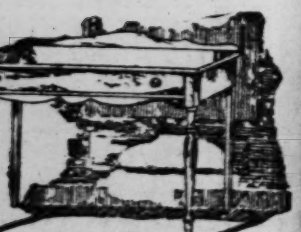
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